

Final BULLETINS

Orders Wilby Held For Appeal Court

Acting Chief Justice Gordon Sloan made an order today enjoining two New York detectives, Sgt. Fred Hains and George Salayka, who hold in custody Ralph M. Wilby, from removing Wilby from the jurisdiction of the Court of Appeal until May 18.

On that day in Vancouver the court will hear Wilby's appeal from dismissal of his habeas corpus application in the B.C. Supreme Court by Chief Justice Wendell B. Farris here last week.

British Frigate Sinks 2 U-Boats

LONDON (AP)—The British frigate Spey destroyed two Nazi submarines recently in a dramatic running fight while escorting a convoy in the North Atlantic, the Admiralty announced tonight.

Without casualties and undamaged, the small fighting ship picked up 48 German survivors in the first engagement that lasted only a few minutes after depth charges had forced the U-boats to the surface. Sixteen survivors were taken aboard after the frigate's four-inch guns had sent a second U-boat to the bottom a short time later, the announcement said.

'Zoot Suit' Outbreak

VANCOUVER (CP)—Police are investigating the breaking Wednesday night of the windshield of an air force man's automobile in Vancouver's east end. John Siemens reported today about 20 "zoot suit" youths banged up on him and two friends in a cafe and later broke the car windshield.

Air Conferences

OTTAWA (CP)—Munitions Minister Howe said this afternoon in the Commons Canada would be represented at future international air conferences and that a Canadian proposal for an international authority had never been unacceptable to the United Kingdom.

Repulse Nazis

LONDON (CP-Reuters)—Soviet troops today repelled German attacks launched with large-scale forces of infantry and tanks on the right bank of the Dniestr River southwest of Tiraspol, said tonight's Russian communique, record by the Soviet monitor here.

Speaker Upheld

OTTAWA (CP)—The Commons by a vote of 158 to 9 this afternoon upheld Speaker J. A. Glen in ruling out of order a motion by J. S. Roy, Ind., Gaspe, Que., to have immediate discussion of a private bill he had placed on the order paper.

The bill would delete the word "farmer" from National Selective Service regulations, outlining who should be considered employers. At present farmers are considered employers if they have a son or other relative working for them.

Nazi Trawler Sunk

LONDON (CP)—In a pre-invasion naval skirmish off the Netherlands coast, British light naval forces sank an armed German trawler and left two others damaged early today, the Admiralty announced.

There was no British loss in this hard, brief action, which erupted when a strong force of Nazi patrol vessels was encountered.

Cut Interest Rate On N.H.A. Loans

OTTAWA (CP)—Finance Minister Isley this afternoon announced immediate reduction in the interest on new loans under the National Housing Act from 5 to 4 1/2 per cent.

Action is also being taken to finance properties up to \$5,000, an increase of \$1,000 from the present ceiling, Mr. Isley told the Commons.

Lieut. Cash Mason Missing at Sea

Lieut. Stirling Cashman Mason, R.C.N.V.R., is reported missing at sea, according to word received from Ottawa by his wife, the former Miss Julia Dickinson, daughter of Lt. Cmdr. and Mrs. E. R. S. Dickinson, 860 Elery Street.

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Mr. King Warns of 'Empire Bloc'

Premier's Speech Cheers Internationalists Seen As Paralyzing Check to Centralists

By GRANT DEXTER  
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LONDON (By Special Cable)—In the historic setting of Westminster, to the assembled Lords and Commons, and in the presence of colleagues from the other Dominions, the speech Prime Minister MacKenzie King delivered was of importance beyond all exaggeration.

The speech was not distinguished by any great eloquence. It was actually a little more carefully and more tellingly phrased restatement of his speech made before the Canadian Parliament last January on the proposals made by Lord Halifax.

But this speech towers above all other public discourses, either by Prime Minister King or by any predecessor in his high office; not by the test of oratory, but because of the time and the occasion. He spoke as the Prime Minister of a senior Dominion at the conference of Commonwealth Prime Ministers, sitting in London to discuss post-war organization of the Commonwealth and of the world.

For the second time within living memory and by the narrowest of margins, the battle for freedom was said to have been won. The Prime Ministers are meeting now because victory and peace are now within the grasp of the United Nations and definite post-war planning can no longer be deferred. A new world is about to be born and the British Commonwealth is a determining factor in deciding what kind of a world it will be.

Problems of postwar organization have never been absent from the deliberations of the Prime Ministers. In or out of sessions thoughts and utterances always centred on this supreme problem. Varying and sharply conflicting views have been evident, each with an appearance, if not the reality of substantial support.

CENTRALIST FACTION  
There are the centralists, the unified commonwealth people whose viewpoint is expressed by Lord Halifax. There are the old-line imperialists who desire an exclusive Commonwealth, bristling economic monetary defence and every kind of barrier against the non-British world, lesser breeds without the law. With these people it is the Empire versus the world. There are advocates of Empire unity on a regional basis, with each Dominion speaking and acting for the Commonwealth in its own region. There are less robust people who temper their desires by practical considerations, count a crumb better than no loaf, ask only for some kind of institution—a secretariat or council or even a committee—as a symbol of greater unity. And there are still others who yearn for Empire solidarity in an emotional way and who are quite unable to rationalize those longings but follow this or the other prophet or imperialist. But there are, as well, those who believe the new world must be based on the widest of international co-operation and who see in Empire exclusiveness or a power bloc concept the direst peril to a

future world of peace and prosperity.

AFFECT ON FUTURE  
The form of the postwar world and of the Commonwealth must be profoundly affected by the discussions at this conference. It could not be otherwise and it is in this sense the importance of the conference and of Prime Minister King's speech is beyond all exaggeration.

UNEQUALLED PERFORMANCE  
This, then, is the setting that marked as historic the occasion of the speech of Canada's Prime Minister.

In clarity, directness and force of argument he has never equalled his performance of today. From start to finish and without equivocation his speech was a declaration for international organization in its widest sense and opposed to Commonwealth exclusiveness. Prime Minister King not only opposed all forms of centralization, of the Commonwealth organizing itself as a unit in world power blocs, but he declared any attempt along these lines would destroy the Commonwealth. In every line, in every metaphor, the Prime Minister pleaded for a world organization. This, he said, was a lesson the Commonwealth could teach the world; the example, which if freedom-loving nations would follow, would fulfill the dearest hopes of mankind. He applied the principle of international co-operation across the board. Prosperity as well as security is indivisible. He advocated free trade just as ardently as he did collective security.

COMMONWEALTH'S TASK

Prime Minister King argued that the achievement of a world organization, able to redeem the sacrifices of the past 30 years was peculiarly the task of the Commonwealth, because it stands as an example of what can be achieved through co-operation. The Commonwealth has demonstrated the principle which alone can save the world. This, he believed, must be the mission of the Commonwealth. Only in this achievement could the Commonwealth express in a practical way its idealism of the soldiers, sailors and airmen and raise a fitting memorial to the fallen in two world wars.

The impact of this speech on the Prime Ministers and the British Parliament and the wider public cannot be overstated. Prime Minister King revitalized and revived all those in or out of the British government who are truly internationalists. He gave a severe, and for the time being, a paralyzing check to groups who favor one or the other form of Empire consolidation. Many wavering, certainly were convinced. Moreover the effect on the government of other nations, for example, the United States, must have been heartening. It is fairly well known here that the United States is anxious lest the cause of world organization being advocated so vigorously by Cordell Hull should be wounded by the adoption of centralist policies here. If the Commonwealth adopted a power bloc policy chances of achieving world organization would be greatly lessened if not destroyed.

Strength, Unity To Come Through Sharing Policies

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By FRANK FLAHERTY  
LONDON (CP)—Prime Minister King, addressing a joint session of the British Houses of Parliament today, called for postwar maintenance of British Commonwealth strength and unity through policies which can be shared with other nations, and coupled this with a warning against any move which might seem to the rest of the world an attempt to form a separate bloc.

Mr. King spoke of present methods of intra-Empire consultation as "a continuing conference of cabinets," in contrast to a single Imperial War Cabinet, and said:

"We cannot be too careful to see that to our own peoples, the new methods will not appear as an attempt to limit their freedom of decision or, to peoples outside the Commonwealth, as an attempt to establish a separate bloc."

"I am firmly convinced that the way to maintain the unity of the Commonwealth is to base that unity upon principles which can be extended to all nations," he said. "I am equally sure that the only way to maintain world union is to base it upon principles that can be universally applied."

First Public Speech On British Visit

It was Mr. King's first public speech during his present visit to Britain for the conference of the Dominion Prime Ministers. The address, made from the rostrum in the Royal Gallery of the Palace of Westminster, was broadcast to the world.

It was the second time an overseas leader had been invited to speak before a joint session of the House of Commons and the House of Lords. Prime Minister Smuts of South Africa, who addressed a joint session in 1942, and Prime Minister John Curtin of Australia and Prime Minister Fraser of New Zealand were among the Canadian Prime Minister's audience.

Mr. King made extensive revisions in his prepared text which was made available in advance Wednesday night to the press.

Mr. King spoke of Canada's war effort as voluntary and national and of close co-operation and co-ordination of policies within the British Commonwealth.

The "continuing conference of cabinets" dealt "from day to day and, not infrequently, from hour to hour with policies of common concern. Decisions made were those of all members of the cabinet of each country, 'with a full consciousness of their immediate responsibility to their respective parliaments.'"

Present Plan Best For Consultation

"I believe very strongly in close consultation, close co-operation and effective co-ordination of policies," he said.

"What more effective means of co-operation could have been found than those which, despite all the handicaps of war, have worked with such complete success? Let us, by all means, seek to improve where we can... Let us beware lest in changing the form we lose the substance; or, for appearance's sake, sacrifice reality."

Like its component parts, the British Commonwealth had within itself a spirit which was not exclusive, but the opposite of exclusive, he said. That spirit expressed itself in co-operation. Therein lay the secret of its unity.

Hart Sworn In Minister of Lands

Premier Hart accepted one more provincial portfolio when he was sworn in as Minister of Lands today in Vancouver by Lieutenant-Governor W. C. Woodward. Mr. Hart is already Minister of Finance as well as being Premier.

Premier Hart had been acting Minister of Lands during the illness of the late Hon. A. Wellesley Gray and it is expected that he will head that department until the by-election in September or October.



VIVICILLIN — NEW MIRACLE DRUG — Dr. Hans Enoch works on the new "wonder drug," vivicillin, in his laboratory at Hendon, Middlesex, England. Dr. Enoch, who left Germany when Hitler came into power, is one of the bio-chemists who developed the drug which is now claimed to be a potential alternative to penicillin. Vivicillin has already saved the life of a boy who was on the brink of death. (Telephoto).

4,000 Planes, 7,000 Tons Of Bombs Today

LONDON (CP)—Allied air forces attacked Germany's vital system of military railroads with approximately 4,000 planes which dropped some 7,000 tons of bombs today, dealing the enemy transportation system its most crushing blow of the war.

Fifteen large railway centres in occupied France and Belgium, highly important to the defence of the enemy's so-called Atlantic Wall, were objectives in the assault—seven of them being attacked by a force of possibly 1,000 U.S. heavy bombers and fighters late this afternoon.

Since the full-scale assault on the rail network behind the so-called Atlantic Wall began March 2, the Allies have made at least 357 attacks against at least 64 rail targets. Some key points have been hit four and five times.

Today's heavy bomber thrust under fighter cover marked the return of British-based heavy bombers to the pre-invasion offensive after a one-day layoff.

German radio broadcasts said other formations were over southwest Germany during the afternoon. This was the 27th straight day of the round-the-clock assaults.

London observers said the thunderous vibrations of the follow-up daylight fleets were the loudest heard since the war began. The Paris radio network left the air immediately.

REBROADCAST

Prime Minister MacKenzie King's speech to the British Parliament and Prime Minister Churchill's introduction will be rebroadcast at 5:30 p.m. over C.V.I.

Sevastopol Fund Opens With \$920

Victoria's Sevastopol Fund got off to a flying start today with first subscriptions totaling \$930.

A. Derman, secretary of the Federation of Russian-Canadians in Victoria, announced donation from his group of \$900.

Robert Noble announced donation of \$120, proceeds from the Dyson Carter lecture.

"Inasmuch" sent in \$10 to The Times for the fund. He wrote: "I was especially pleased to read of a half-day school holiday to celebrate the relief of Sevastopol. This shows our civic consciousness towards the people of our adoption. Now the way is open to lavish our love and kindness on the needy sufferers with material aid and comfort. As a beginning of a fresh start, find enclosed \$10."

Subscriptions are being received by Gordon Campbell, treasurer, at the Bank of Nova Scotia, or by Mrs. W. E. M. Mitchell at the Canadian Aid to Russia office, 2002 Oak Bay Avenue.

While the Russians were already beginning the task of repairing their war-battered port, members of the Canadian Aid to Russia Fund met and books were opened for subscriptions for the Sevastopol Fund.

Dr. D. M. Baillie urged that the money already donated be spent on materials immediately and shipped to Russia and members discussed in detail a tag day to be held in the city June 24, with proceeds to be directed to the Sevastopol Fund.

Big Social Problem

CALGARY (CP)—There were 208 illegitimate births in this city last year, or 7.5 per cent of the 2,747 births recorded, according to the annual report of Dr. W. H. Hill, Medical Officer of Health, made public today. That was an increase of 48 over 1942.

\$400,000 In 24 Hours

Tempo of buying Victory Bonds stepped up during the last 24 hours with Greater Victoria raising \$400,000. This puts the city within \$870,000 of its quota.

Citizens of Duncan today went out on a final whirlwind campaign to reach their objective before Saturday. The Outer Wards of Saanich have raised \$232,000, passing their quota by \$4,000. The Lower Island and Gulf Islands Unit is still working on an all-out effort to pass their quota by Friday. Metchosin and Colwood have exceeded their quotas.

Figures for the island units at noon today stand as follows:

Unit	Subscribed	Still Need
Greater Victoria	\$4,830,000	\$870,000
Lower V.I. Rural and Gulf Islands	680,100	69,900
Cowichan-Duncan	570,000	155,000
Courtenay-Comox	430,050	69,950
Nanaimo	480,000	120,000
Alberni-West Coast	349,100	235,900
Ladysmith	176,050	36,050

Total for Island \$7,515,300 \$1,484,700

Payroll firms reaching their objective today were: B.C. Telephone, and Hudson's Bay Company.

A steady increase was shown today in navy subscriptions to the Victory Loan. Major war vessels in this area reported sales of \$20,450, while all types of smaller ships showed subscriptions of \$34,600.

H.M.C.S. Givency exceeded its objective of \$72,500 by \$13,000, all other establishments here have passed their quotas while one "quarter" have reached the 200 per cent mark.

Canada Guarded Empire's Heart; Churchill Pays Glowing Tributes to Premier King

LONDON (CP)—Canada, with her 11,000,000 people, "has guarded the heart and citadel of the Empire during the most perilous months in all its history," Prime Minister Churchill declared today in introducing Prime Minister King for his speech to a joint session of the House of Commons and the House of Lords.

Loud cheering broke out when Mr. Churchill arose on the Speaker's dais to introduce Mr. King. On the dais with the two prime ministers were Col. Clifton Brown, Speaker of the House of Commons; Clement R. Attlee, Deputy Prime Minister; Viscount Simon, the Lord Chancellor; and Viscount Cranborne, Dominions Secretary.

Peers and members of the Commons had cheered the Canadian Prime Minister when he arrived with Mr. Churchill.

"We have known him a long time and the longer we have known him the more we have loved him," Mr. Churchill said.

TRIBUTES TO KING

"He comes here as one who has played an unrivalled part in the forward march of Canada. He has brought Canada to the

greatest development of her power. It is extraordinary the things Canada has done in this war."

"The House renewed its cheers. 'Canada is the link which binds together the Old World and the New.'"

Mr. Churchill brought a burst of laughter when he said of Mr. King, "Like most of us, he is a party politician," adding there was nothing to be ashamed of in that.

"But I say without hesitation there was no other man and perhaps there was no other career to which a man might look forward which would enable our honored guest this afternoon to lead Canada united into the heart of this world-shaking struggle."

25 YEARS A LEADER

"In the unending clash of events, one drama succeeding and overlapping another, the intense absorption of the people—of every age, sex and class—in the war effort, hardly enabling them to draw breath; all this makes us incapable of appreciating what is going on in Canada under its government headed by a leader, 25 years a leader of a party, and 18 years Prime Minister of the Dominion."

"Canada has a future which none may measure. They are a magnificent people and their representative has come here, and I say that he will give us today a conception 'not only of the general participation of Canada in the Empire, but of the particular character of the contribution which in our vast and varied organization is always to be welcomed.'"

Mr. King, who had worked with his staff into the early morning putting finishing touches to his speech, was heard by an audience of about 800, including 100 or so representatives of the Dominions.

VOTE OF THANKS

After Mr. King had finished speaking, the audience cheered for several seconds.

Proposing a vote of thanks, the Lord Chancellor said: "The speech and the spirit behind it, as well as the unity and comradeship of the British Commonwealth, is the surest guarantee of ultimate victory and it is the hope of a peaceful world in the future."

PERSONAL FRIEND

"I have known my friend MacKenzie King for over 40 years, first in politics, then in personal friendship. I know well the steady step he has taken during that period which have led in this great climax to the development and administration of the power of Canada."

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Mr. Churchill put the resolution to the gathering, which carried it with loud cheers.

Alberta Over Top

EDMONTON (CP)—Alberta went over its objective in Canada's Sixth Victory Loan campaign Wednesday when total of \$26,085,000 had been subscribed, or 102.7 per cent of its quota, it was announced today.

20 Collegians In Draft Class

Of the 93 male students attending Victoria College during the term which ended last month, approximately 20 will be subject to drafting for military purposes owing to inadequate academic standards, according to a listing made at the College today.

In the first year there were 136 students. Forming part of the lower half of the class, according to results of examinations released Wednesday, are 20 boys. Among them are six or seven who are either under age or unsuitable for military training owing to health conditions.

In the second year, exclusive of commerce students who are in preferred grouping, only four of

the male candidates who finished in the lower bracket, are physically fit and eligible for military training.

2 DAYS TO GO and Greater Victoria must still raise \$870,000



Prairies Promised Showers Or Snow

WINNIPEG (CP)—Fresh winds with lower temperatures and possibly showers or snowflurries were forecast for today in the prairie provinces, where

additional precipitation is needed. Temperatures neared the freezing mark in Alberta Wednesday night while elsewhere on the prairies high readings were in the low 60s Wednesday.

Showers were reported in several southern Saskatchewan districts and light rainfall was fairly general in Manitoba.

Legion Branch Sends \$50

A cheque for \$50 from Britannia Branch, No. 7, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., today helped to swell the canteen fund for H.M.C.S. Beacon Hill, Victoria's own warship, for which \$3,000 is needed.

From Mrs. G. H. Sedger came an electric hotplate for the chief petty officer's mess.

Members of Christ Church Cathedral A.Y.P.A. gave a desk hymn book.

Mrs. C. Robertson, Lansdowne Road, donated two aluminum orange juice squeezers for the officers' mess and the seamen's mess.

A Canadian Navy truck which began collecting yesterday con-

tinued to gather donations from citizens.

Cash subscriptions to the canteen fund reported up to noon today were as follows:

Catholic Women's League	\$10
Well Wisher	5
Family of Smiths	3
Alderman and Mrs. Burgess	3
J. Gadsden	10
W.A. Britannia Branch, No. 7, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L.	50
Mrs. David Doig	5
Kay McIntyre, acting secretary, Pooley Committee for H.M.C.S. Beacon Hill Fund, Victoria Times editorial department, telephone B 3131, is receiving and acknowledging all subscriptions.	

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**New Commando Chief**  
LONDON (CP)—Maj.-Gen. R. B. Sturges of the Royal Marines, a veteran of the Gallipoli campaign in the first Great War, has been placed in command of Britain's commandos, combined operations headquarters announced today. Gen. Sturges, 52, headed the British occupation forces in Iceland and Madagascar.

**Unusual Choir Event**  
VANCOUVER (CP)—Eight church choirs will sing during the sessions of the B.C. Conference of the United Church of Canada May 16 to 23, in Vancouver.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
Attention, Rummage Sale! Saturday, 9 o'clock, 714 Cormorant.

All members of Boilermakers' Union, Local No. 2, who are unemployed or not working at the trade, please contact office, 1116 Broad Street, as soon as possible.

L.A. to F.O.E., Aerie No. 12, 751 View Street, Mother's Day tea, Friday, May 12, 2.30 to 5. Entertainment, apron sale, door prize. Adults 25c; children 10c. Everybody welcome.

The Shawigan Beach Hotel at Shavilgan Lake, Victoria's well-known inland resort. Good train and bus service. Phone Cobble Hill 48. Victoria office, phone G 4834.

Trinity College of Music, London, Eng., examinations in practical work, Monday, May 15, at 1001 Foul Bay Road. Arthur Collingwood, F.R.C.O., Dean of Faculty of Music, University of Saskatchewan, presiding examiner.

Victoria Little Theatre and Dramatic School, Langham Place, Rockland Avenue, Thursday and Friday, May 11 and 12, "An Evening of One-act Plays." Tickets Marionette Library, \$1.

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## Germans Lay Down Heavy Barrage On Anzio Beachhead

By NOLAN B. NORGARD  
NAPLES (AP)—German artillery barrage on the Anzio beachhead reached a new peak Tuesday night with approximately 4,000 shells lobbed into 5th Army positions in the space of half an hour. Allied headquarters announced today.

The same night the German air force sent 15 planes to raid the beachhead port area, but it was announced no damage resulted and ack-ack shot down two of the raiders.

The Allied Command gave no new word of the British 8th Army troops which Wednesday were reported following up the Germans withdrawing to shorten their lines in the mountains of the main front, 35 miles inland from the Adriatic.

In the Cassino area the Germans laid down artillery and mortar fire and sent over single planes to bomb and strafe Allied forward positions.

On the beachhead a U.S. raiding party, with tank support, punched at enemy-held houses two miles southwest of Cisterna. An American officer, with three men, captured a dozen prisoners three miles south of Cisterna.

An official announcement said the Italian Corps of Liberation operating in Italy, has been built up from one small motorized group "until it includes whole battalions of all the famous units of the Italian regular army."

The Italian group first appeared in the line at Monte Lungo Dec. 8 and in that area it later beat off German counterattacks. It now is fighting on the central front around Monte Marrone.

## Nazis May Seize French Railways; Services Reduced

LONDON (AP)—The importance of France's transport system in the impending invasion of western Europe was emphasized by both the Allies and Germans today as the BBC urged the French to keep off the highways after the attack starts, while Vichy repeated that passenger train service would be cut Monday to facilitate troop movements.

The Allied request to French civilians was made in a BBC broadcast of invasion instructions. It stressed that troop movements must have right-of-way.

The announcement by the German-controlled Vichy radio of the forthcoming passenger train reduction, made originally three days ago and reiterated today, caused many in London to wonder whether the Nazis were seizing the remnants of the bomb-riddled railway system for what it was worth in helping to maintain their so-called Atlantic Wall.

The latest German guess on when the Allies will strike is Monday, the same day the French train service change is effective.

Called in Wednesday night as window dressing for a Berlin broadcast on anti-invasion preparations, an astrologer intoned: "The seventh day after the full moon often sees casualties and death." Monday will be the seventh day after the full moon.

Another German broadcast said German sharpshooters were being equipped with special rifles fitted with a new telescopic sight to "pick off the commanding officers of each wave of invading troops as they hit the beaches."

## Dawson Clears Streets As Flood Falls

DAWSON, Y.T. (CP)—Debris-strewn streets of Dawson were being cleared today in the wake of the most damaging flood in the city's history. The flood waters had dropped 15 feet since Tuesday night after aircraft dropped 13 half-ton bombs on down-river ice jams. Rush waters from broken up-river jams helped to wash away the lodged ice.

Three-quarters of Dawson was littered with fuel wood, dislodged sidewalks, sewer covers and other debris, including huge ice blocks on the city's main street. The heavy ice run on First Avenue snapped power poles, plunging the city into darkness. The power plant went back into operation Wednesday morning.

Many families were forced to leave their homes and there was a foot of water on the floors of several stores as the ice jams sent the flood waters to a new record high, five feet above the previous high in 1925.

The flood threat was considered ended today, but it will take days to clear streets of the huge four-foot-thick ice blocks. There was no immediate estimate of damage, but there was extensive property damage done by water between First and Fifth Avenues. The flood caused considerable

property damage to the Yukon Consolidated Gold Company, the Canadian Bank of Commerce and the Yukon and White Pass Railway Company. At one time the water covered the entire business area and half the entire settlement of about 1,000 about 2,000 air miles northwest of Edmonton. Government buildings, banks and schools were closed before the flood reached its peak Tuesday. No casualties have been reported.

## Menace in China Grows As Japs Advance

CHUNGKING (AP)—An atmosphere of unrelenting concern spread in China today as Chinese reports told of yet another thrust on Loyang, several-times capital of ancient China in northern Honan province, and admitted the enemy finally had succeeded in gaining control of the full length of the Peiping-Hankow railway linking his northern and central forces.

The Chinese claimed they had repulsed a Japanese attempt at another crossing of the Yellow River near Menghsien, about 25 miles northeast of Loyang.

But they acknowledged they were battling enemy forces which had forced the river near Yuan-chu, 45 miles northwest of the city, and that a third enemy spearhead had pushed along the Lunghai railway to the vicinity of Yenshi, only about 21 miles east of the city.

The most important Japanese offensive in China since their successful drive on Hankow in 1938 already had carved out an area of roughly 60,000 square miles of territory, much of it rich wheat-growing country, and was opening the possibility of a drive on the strategic town of Tung-kwan, west of Loyang at the elbow of the Yellow River. Tung-kwan is the gateway to the rich northwest.

## Lwow, Galati Believed Next Goals Of Russian Armies

LONDON (CP)—The Germans claimed today they had wiped out a sizeable Russian bridgehead on the lower Dneestr River in a surprise attack and that their troops still were fighting in the Crimea west of Sevastopol, having destroyed 20 tanks there Wednesday.

The Russians announced two days ago that Sevastopol and all the Crimea had been cleared of German and Romanian troops. The latest Soviet communique told of the sinking of two 4,000-ton transports carrying enemy survivors from the devastated port.

The German communique, wholly unconfirmed by Soviet sources, claimed strong bomber formations paced the Dneestr assault south of Grigoriopol which liquidated a Russian salient six miles long and four deep west of the river. The area was said to contain "dominating mountain ranges" and to have strengthened the Axis front line guarding the approaches to the Galati Gap in Romania, between the Carpathians and the Danube estuary.

Moscow reported tremendous damage in Sevastopol, with the centre of the Black Sea port "destroyed or ruined."

Experienced British naval experts predicted the Russians would have the big port in working condition to "some degree" shortly and that the recapture of the base would give Soviet air-men dominance of the entire Black Sea area, easing the problem of feeding supplies to the Crimea and the Ukraine over water routes instead of long rail hauls.

Capture of the city, which was announced early Wednesday by Marshal Stalin, was proclaimed by the Moscow radio as a "happy augury" on the "eve of great impending events."

The Russians reported no important changes Wednesday on the long eastern front. The next Russian move was a matter of speculation, but Lwow, old Polish gateway to eastern Europe, and Galati, astride the route to the oil fields of Romania, were regarded here as the next major objectives of the Soviet armies.

WASHINGTON (AP)—The combat score of U.S. Army Air Forces in the Pacific and Asia from the start of the war to March 7, 1944, was 4,887 enemy planes destroyed against 1,414 American planes lost, Secretary of War Stimson said today.

## Ford Workers Back On Job at Windsor; Await Board Action

WINDSOR (CP)—Workers of the Ford Motor Co. of Canada today returned to their jobs, ending a work stoppage that had left the plant idle since April 20 with the exception of two days. Decision to resume work was reached unanimously at a meeting of the United Automobile Workers (C.I.O.) Wednesday night after union officials had given assurance that the grievance procedure, about which the dispute centred, would be dealt with by the National War-time Labor Relations Board in Ottawa today.

The meeting heard a letter from Mr. Justice G. B. O'Connor giving the board's decision not to take any action on the grievance procedure until work was resumed.

**LETTER READ**  
Roy England, president of Local 200 of the union, read the letter and with other union officials recommended the workers go back to the plant pending clarification action by the board. George Burt, Canadian U.A.W. director, and Richard T. Frankenstein, international vice-president, were among those who addressed the meeting.

After the meeting, the union issued a statement which said, "We rely upon the judgment and fairness of the (National War-time Labor Relations) Board to deal with the grievance matter effectively and constructively."

The statement said the board, by deciding that the document of April 28—which virtually reproduced the former union agreement—constituted a valid collective agreement between the Ford Company and Local 200 of the U.A.W., had settled the issue of the existing contract, and "seems to offer a basis upon which the other issue can be satisfactorily settled."

## Japs Suffering From War of Nerves

NEW YORK (AP)—The war of nerves spread to the Pacific today, with the Tokyo radio speculating that the "lack of major engagements in the Pacific during the last few months" probably is the lull preceding major events.

The Japanese commentator said U.S. forces are preparing

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AN ALEUTIAN BASE, Alaska (AP)—U.S. bases in the Aleutian island chain pointing to the heart of the Japanese empire are established for assault against the Nipponese homeland, Vice-Admiral Frank Jack Fletcher, commander of the North Pacific, asserted today in recalling that the battle of Attu, which started the downfall of the Japanese in the Aleutians began just a year ago today.

"The situation is very satisfactory as compared with a year ago," observed the admiral. "It is immensely better than two years ago."

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## 2 Men Rescued From Coal Mine

STELLARTON, N.S. (CP)—Falling against time, coal miners tunneled their way through a barrier of fallen stone early today and brought to safety two men who had been trapped more than 13 hours in the depths of the Allan shaft here.

Squirming through a narrow aperture in the rock, John Millie, 70, and Charles Fraser, 37, emerged from their entombment at 12:30 a.m. E.D.T., none the worse from their long confinement in an old section of the mine that once claimed 88 lives in an explosion.

Since early Wednesday afternoon, fellow-workers had been digging into the 20-foot-long pile of stone choking the mine tunnel, spurred by faint shouts from beyond the rock that told them the two trapped men were still awaiting rescue.

Experts at stone-handling, they laboriously clawed a way through the heavy mass, one man crawling in at a time and passing stone back along the line. Millie and Fraser helped by working at the barrier from their end.



## Kuomintang Leaders Called; Inflation Forcing Crisis

By SIDNEY QUONG  
CHUNGKING (ONIA)—Kuomintang big-wigs from all over the country are due to meet here soon for another party convocation—the 12th plenary session of the central executive committee of the Kuomintang—to appraise and find solutions for the myriad problems confronting the nation.

The highest policy-making body in China when the national congress of the party is not in session, the plenary session of this all-powerful committee usually occasions much speculation among political observers and arouses lively interest among the public at large. For the central executive committee, when meeting as a body, is vested with the power not only to frame major national policies but also to render decisions on issues that directly affect the lives of China's millions.

### PREVIOUS DECISIONS

Among the far-reaching decisions made by this body during the past few years were the declaration of war against Japan, expulsion of traitor Wang Chingwei from the government, adoption of the dual program of resistance and reconstruction, and the formation of the People's Political Council with representation from all political parties as an organ through which to air public opinion.

The agenda of the plenary session usually includes a searching examination of China's foreign policy in the light of changing events abroad and calm deliberations on the political and economic problems confronting the nation. As a result of these deliberations, both the foreign and domestic policies are framed or recast accordingly.

### ECONOMIC PROBLEMS

While the agenda for the forthcoming session is not known, it is generally expected it will be mainly concerned with economic

problems which at present constitute the chief difficulty on China's home front. As far as the foreign policy is concerned, China, since Pearl Harbor, has embarked on a policy in her relations with her allies which may be considered as immutable. That policy, in essence, is to collaborate to the best of her ability and to the full extent of her resources with her allies in prosecuting the war against Japan to a victorious end, and to co-operate with all nations after the war in establishing a durable peace.

Nor will political problems take up much of the session's agenda. Since the 11th plenary session held last September, the political stand of the Kuomintang has been clear. It is pledged to relinquish power and establish a constitutional form of government immediately following the conclusion of hostilities.

### CLEARLY DEFINED

To the minds of the Kuomintang leaders, then, there are no outstanding political problems to be settled today. Not even the relationship between the Kuomintang and the Chinese Communist Party constitutes such a problem. That relationship, they argue, is clear-cut: The Kuomintang is the political party in power and the Chinese Communist Party is one of the minority parties that has pledged itself to support the Kuomintang's policy of continued resistance against Japanese aggression. Before the Kuomintang releases the reins of government, which it proposes to do as soon as constitutional government can be established after the war, the Chinese Communist Party, like the minority parties in any democratic country, is duty bound to support the policy of the party in power, especially when that party is shouldering the burden of a major war against a ruthless foe. Hence, most of the Kuomintang leaders feel that the so-called Commun-

ist problem, which has lately loomed so large in the United States and Britain, will automatically solve itself when the war is over, if the Communists themselves live up to their pledge to support the Kuomintang's war effort in the most critical period of the nation's history.

### MUST MAKE PLANS

The main task before the 12th plenary session, then, will be economic—and it will be a colossal task. Since the 11th plenary session last year, the general economic situation in China has been steadily deteriorating, while the long-range problem of postwar rehabilitation is pressing nearer and nearer with the approach of victory.

One of the immediate economic problems that must be dealt with, for example, is rising prices. According to most conservative estimates, general prices in China have gone up 200 times as compared with those of prewar days. Therefore, to bring about a more effective control of prices and to work out comprehensive plans for postwar rehabilitation will be among the many economic problems that will tax the ingenuity of the 105 men who will gather for the 12th plenary session.

### Quebec Question Mark, Says Tory Leader

WINNIPEG (CP)—John Bracken, national Progressive Conservative Party leader, said here Quebec is "the question mark" of the next general election.

One-third of the 65 Quebec seats would give the party "a good prospect" of a majority over all in the House of Commons, he said. He was "reasonably sure" of an over-all majority in the other eight provinces, which have 180 seats.

"It is too soon to say what Quebec will do," he said. "The people there are confused. They feel they have been misled."

"If, as I expect, we can get a third of the Quebec seats, we shall have a good prospect of a majority over all in the House."

## Doukhobors Strip As Trains Go By; Prepare Petitions

NELSON, B.C. (CP)—Police in this Kootenay area today were checking reports that members of the radical Sons of Freedom Doukhobor sect at Gilpin, B.C., about 60 miles southwest of here, stripped their clothing off on the verandas of their homes and exposed themselves Wednesday to the gaze of train passengers.

The Doukhobors were said to have timed their demonstrations to coincide with the passing of trains. It has also been learned that delegations of Sons of Freedom were going to Salmo, B.C., from nearby Krestova to recruit converts to their sect and supporters for their protests against the imprisonment of Doukhobors convicted of participating in nude demonstrations at Nelson last month and in Vancouver last week-end.

### SIGN PETITIONS

Sons of Freedom were reported on the march at Glade, B.C., also in the Kootenay area, parading from settlement to settlement soliciting signatures on a petition asking the release of imprisoned strippers.

Thirteen Doukhobors were imprisoned following demonstrations here April 15 when 12 removed their clothing, and a solo performance the following week when Louis Popoff, the self-designated "Tsar of Heaven," followed suit.

Twenty-two of a delegation of Sons of Freedom who went to Vancouver to protest the jailing of the unlucky 13, shared their fate following a nude demonstration in Stanley Park last Sunday in which 16 of their number disrobed, and a demonstration in a crowded Vancouver courtroom the following day when six members removed their clothing in protest at the conduct of the trial of the 16 park paraders.

### 3 GO TO VANCOUVER

Reports at Glade said three more Doukhobors had left by train for Vancouver and it was believed other small groups intended to follow their example.

John Verigin, secretary of the orthodox Doukhobor group, Wednesday, repeated his statement that his group had dissociated itself from the actions of the Sons of Freedom and "would have nothing to do with them."

## No Communism Infiltrated On CBC, Says Program Chief

OTTAWA (CP)—Charges that a subtle move might be in the making to infiltrate Communist doctrine in Canada through CBC employees were denied Wednesday at a meeting of the Commons radio committee by E. L. Bushnell, CBC program director.

Rev. E. G. Hansell, S.C., Macleod, Alta., quoted passages from a pamphlet entitled "Help" and compiled by John J. Fitzgerald, president of a group which called itself the Atlantic Charter Committee of Blind River, Ont.

Printed in Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., the pamphlet said exponents of Communism were making inroads into broadcasting in Canada and named R. S. Lambert of the CBC talks department in Toronto as a prominent Leftist associated with broadcasting. The pamphlet said the CBC was "honeycombed with Communism."

Mr. Hansell, after reading extracts from the pamphlet, said: "Personally I think an attempt is being made to sell Canada and our democratic way of life over to Communism and I am not going to stand by without a protest."

### FANATICAL ATTITUDE

Mr. Bushnell described Fitzgerald as a "fanatic" who had the idea the CBC was loaded with Communists and would not be told otherwise. He said Mr. Lambert was not in charge of the talks department as Fitzgerald charged. He added that all of Mr. Lambert's work was sifted through a CBC director's hands who took the responsibility for his type of program.

"It is high time that these insinuations are shown up as canards and I resent these implications very strongly," said Mr. Bushnell.

M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. leader, described Mr. Hansell's presentation as a "heresy hunt."

He added: "I don't think we should penalize a man for his political convictions, especially when his opinions do not show up in any of his broadcasts."

Radio sales by one of the principal producers located in Chili were 30 per cent greater during the past four war years than during the past four-year period.

## Individual Buyers Of Victory Loan Up On 'Special Names'

OTTAWA (CP)—Canadians invested \$62,805,350 in the Sixth Victory Loan Wednesday, boosting the total to date to \$1,073,168,950, the War Finance Committee announced today.

Wednesday's figures were down approximately \$10,000,000 from the total of the same day in the previous loan, while the cumulative total stands within \$310,000,000 of the final figure for the last drive.

The three-week campaign for \$1,200,000,000 is in the second half of its last week.

For the first time in this campaign, purchases by individual Canadians Wednesday exceeded the amount purchased by the large buyers.

The total for individuals was \$32,752,750, bringing their cumulative total to \$441,672,350.

Large buyers purchased \$30,052,600 in bonds Wednesday, bringing their total purchases to date to \$631,496,600.

### URGED TO EQUAL RECORD

Today, committee officials urged individual purchasers to make an all-out effort.

"Every loan has seen the individuals increasing their purchases over the amount bought in the preceding loan," a spokesman said. "It would be a grand thing if that record could be kept intact in this campaign and if individual purchasers could exceed the \$604,000,000 of the last loan."

"That cannot be done without real effort."

### SASKATCHEWAN GOAL

Saskatchewan, first province to go over the top, figures now that it needs another 50,000 persons to buy \$13,000,000 to achieve a total of \$36,000,000. To date, 88,478 buyers have made purchases totaling \$22,043,050.

Calgary reported that horse owners, trainers and jockeys at Victoria Park race track bought \$5,000 worth of bonds in the name of the racing association.

In the general canvass and payroll savings contest for a sterling silver rose bowl, Frederickton jumped across the objective line Wednesday to 106 per cent. Eight Quebec centres are also ahead in point of percentage and Sherbrooke, Que., now has 101.

Latest cities to go over in total objective are Fredericton 103, Moncton 100, and Vancouver 100.4. Those still below 100 include Victoria 74, and Edmonton 82.

## Name Wounded Man As Slayer in Fracas

VANCOUVER (CP)—Daniel Harrison, 28, of Vancouver, was named by a coroner's jury Wednesday as the man who shot and stabbed to death Clifford Lennox of Vancouver in a downtown rooming house affray here last Sunday.

Harrison, who himself was wounded, was charged with murder shortly after the struggle which ended in Lennox's death and the stabbing of Miss Helen Lee in the girl's room and an adjoining suite.

Constable John Muir told the inquest jury he caught Harrison trying to escape by a third-floor fire escape and brought him back to the room where Lennox lay dying with the wounded woman by his side. Harrison crossed the room to the woman and bending over her spoke incoherently, Muir said.

"Get away from me," Muir quoted the girl as saying. "You have caused enough trouble already."

Muir said the girl then turned to him and said: "He stabbed me." Then, turning and pointing to Lennox, she added: "He shot him."

Mrs. Doris Olsen, occupant of the room adjoining Miss Lee's, where part of the struggle occurred, told the jury of Harrison entering her room where she, Lennox and Miss Lee were spending the evening. Harrison drew a rifle from under his coat and pointed it around the room, she said. Mrs. Olsen ran from the room and phoned for the police.

Mrs. Olsen's sister's baby was lying on a blood-soaked bed sleeping when police found the dying man and the injured Lee girl lying together on the floor.

Michael Harrison, brother of the accused, said he believed Harrison and Miss Lee had lived together late in 1943, but had parted in January.

Dr. A. W. Hunter testified that Lennox had died from internal and external hemorrhages caused by a gunshot wound and a stabbing. A rifle was found in the death room and a razor-sharp file was found on Harrison when he was arrested, police said.

### TO HOLD SILVER TEA

The annual silver tea at the Royal Jubilee Hospital will be held Friday at the Nurses' Home under the auspices of the Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E. Mrs. R. Duncan is the general convenor, and it will be held from 3 to 5.

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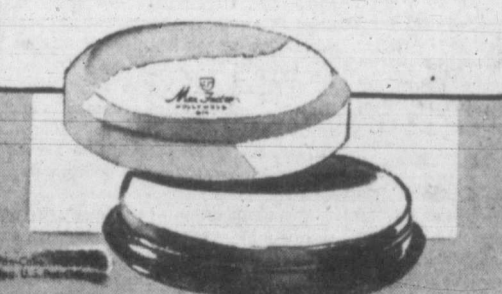
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top in its Victory Loan drive, having  
attained its \$20,000,000 quota. It is now  
aiming at \$25,000,000.

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cent of its \$5,700,000 quota. It has sub-  
scribed \$4,830,000 and still needs \$870,000,  
with only two more days to go.

If Victoria does not come through with  
its share, its failure may affect the whole  
picture in the final returns for the province  
of British Columbia. It may mean that the  
province will not have done as well as in  
the last loan.

Surely we are not going to permit it to  
be broadcast across the country that this  
city failed to make a return proportionate  
to that chalked up by other cities!

What are we going to do about it? It is  
a question for each one of us.  
There are only two days left.

#### ATLANTIC WALL

TWO BLOWS HAVE BEEN STRUCK BY  
the Royal Navy in the "Vorfeld" of the  
Atlantic Wall. In the Channel a force in-  
cluding the new British cruiser Black Prince  
and four destroyers, pounced on a detach-  
ment of three or four German torpedo boats  
northwest of Brest, sinking one of the Ger-  
man ships and sending the others running  
for their base. In Norway carrier-borne air-  
craft of the Fleet Air Arm smashed up a  
German convoy in Bodo Fjord.

In France the Atlantic Wall has a good  
system of road and railway communications  
behind it. European coastal waters, even off  
France, are important not only for defence,  
but also as a secondary line of communica-  
tions. If the German navy was strong  
enough it would certainly defend these  
waters; weak as it is, it has placed a force  
there representing perhaps a quarter of the  
total German destroyer and torpedo boat  
strength. The force had to turn tail and  
run under a smoke screen, and the action  
recalls the German defeat in the Bay of  
Biscay on Dec. 27.

In Norway the German position is much  
weaker than it is in France. Here inland  
communications are few and bad. Most of  
the movements of troops and supplies must  
go by sea. The German High Command  
once considered these communications fairly  
secure if they kept behind a screen of islands,  
and got cover from the Luftwaffe. But, to-  
day, the strength of the Luftwaffe has been  
drained away from Norway and the Royal  
Navy has evolved new techniques for pen-  
etrating into the fjords behind the screen of  
islands. Midget submarines hit the Tirpitz  
last September and carrier-borne aircraft  
attacked shipping in Bodo Fjord last Octo-  
ber. Carrier-borne aircraft this year have  
smashed up the Tirpitz, although she was  
50 miles from the open sea, and have again  
attacked a German convoy in Bodo Fjord.

German garrisons in Norway have al-  
ways suffered from a sense of isolation. The  
activities of British submarines and British  
aircraft carriers are making the isolation  
even more real and intense.

#### YOUTH AND POLITICS

THE NATIONAL CONVENTION OF  
Young Liberals of Canada called for May  
29 and 30 in Winnipeg will be watched with  
interest for an indication of the trend of the  
political thinking of the youth of the  
country.

It is not exaggerating to say that never  
before in our history have young people  
faced such great responsibilities. It is en-  
couraging to note that in the face of this  
challenge, political interest among young  
people is increasing. No doubt the war has  
aroused an interest in political affairs, and  
in the case of youth there is the added  
stimulus from the fact that most young  
people these days have brothers and sisters  
in uniform. This is bringing home to them  
the personal interest each has in the policies  
of their government.

Subjects of national importance will be  
discussed at the convention. These will in-  
clude demobilization and rehabilitation, edu-  
cation, labor, international relations, social  
security, public health, agriculture, immi-  
gration and postwar and peace problems  
generally. Senator Wishart M.L.A. Robert-  
son, president of the National Liberal Fed-  
eration, will attend and speak. Alex Fisher  
will lead the delegations from British Co-  
lumbia.

Goebbels promises the German people  
"trump cards" when the invasion comes—  
forgetting there is no trump when the deuce  
is wild.

It wasn't, as Wickham Steed has just  
pointed out in a BBC broadcast, until the end  
of March last year that the Battle of the  
Atlantic turned definitely in our favor. In  
1941 we lost one ship out of every 181 that  
sailed. By the first half of 1943 the losses  
had fallen to one out of every 344; and in the  
second half of last year they were less than  
one in 1,000. Coastal Command aircraft,  
with some U.S. squadrons, helped the Brit-  
ish, Canadian and United States warships to  
bring about this reduction.

#### TO A HEROIC PEOPLE

VICTORIA HAS SUBSCRIBED MORE  
than \$36,500 to the Canadian Aid to  
Russia Fund. When it is considered that  
this sum of money has been obtained only  
by voluntary offerings of the people and  
without any canvassing, it can be no exag-  
geration to say that the results have been  
highly heartening. The same has been true  
of the results in other cities across Canada.  
The response to the appeal has been a mea-  
sure of the sincerity of the admiration of the  
Canadian people for the fight which the  
Russians have been putting up against the  
common enemy.

The detailed reports of the operations of  
the Fund across Canada have now been made  
public. They show that from Nov. 6, 1942,  
when it was founded, to the end of March,  
1944, the Fund received donations in cash  
and kind totaling \$5,673,883.52. The cash  
subscriptions amounted to \$3,378,133 and the  
donated clothing etc., valued at \$150 a  
pound, totaled \$2,295,750.

Two notable features about this Fund  
are its low administrative expenses and the  
large amount of relief goods that has already  
been shipped to the Soviet Union.

The Fund's operating expenses for the  
16-month period were 1.4 per cent of the  
total donations. No cash was sent to Russia.  
The directors of the Canadian Aid to Russia  
Fund bought mostly in Canada goods which  
the Soviet embassy at Ottawa said were  
most needed by the people in Russia. The  
purchased goods, together with those do-  
nated, were shipped to the Soviet Union on  
Russian boats without any delay.

By the end of March, 1944, a large variety  
of supplies, valued at \$4,462,248, had gone  
forward to Russia and another shipment of  
donated miscellaneous items worth \$462,818  
will soon be on its way, together with more  
goods purchased since March 31.

The directors of the Fund have main-  
tained a continuous flow of relief supplies  
to Russia. When the Fund was opened some  
people said that it would be impossible to  
obtain all the required goods and shipping.  
If there were any difficulties, the directors  
have been able successfully to overcome  
them. Recently the Hon. L. D. Wilgress,  
Canadian Ambassador to the U.S.S.R., re-  
ported that he had visited a warehouse in  
Moscow where he saw large quantities of  
materials sent by the Canadian Aid to Rus-  
sia Fund, and he described how these were  
being distributed among the people in the  
liberated areas. Mr. Wilgress stressed the  
appreciation felt by the Russians for this  
help and for the friendship it betokens.

This is in every respect the people's  
fund. Subscriptions have come from every  
part of Canada and from Newfoundland and  
Labrador. People of all classes, creeds and  
nationalities have donated money, goods and  
services. The Fund operates through 120  
committees in cities, towns and villages, and  
thousands of citizens' groups are contin-  
uously active in collecting and making cloth-  
ing and other essentials needed by the  
Russian people.

This Fund is of peculiar importance to  
Canada. It provides a medium for the ex-  
pression of Allied unity. It is important  
as an expression of gratitude to a heroic  
people whose unparalleled sacrifices are  
making victory possible for us. Captain  
Oliver Lyttelton, Britain's Minister of Pro-  
duction, said the other day in respect to the  
coming invasion: "We can say that without  
the great Russian victories, which not only  
occupied the great bulk of Germans but  
also bit into their reserves, no immediate  
decision could have been expected."

#### MORE THAN CELEBRATING

GREATER VICTORIA IS CELEBRATING  
the recapture of Sevastopol with a half-  
day's holiday in its public schools. The  
mayor has asked citizens to enter into the  
spirit of the festivities to the fullest extent  
and to hang flags and bunting about their  
houses and places of business.

This is in keeping with the occasion. It  
is fitting that we should rejoice with our  
great ally in one of the symbolic victories  
of the war.

But we should not be content with that.  
The Russians' triumph and their example  
of self-sacrifice should stir us to a deeper  
devotion to all war causes. It should move  
us, who are comfortable at home to buy  
more Victory Bonds, to increase our activi-  
ties in war work, to become more gener-  
ous in our support of various war funds,  
including the Canadian Aid to Russia Fund  
which is now enabled to send relief supplies  
to the heroic men, women and children of  
Sevastopol, Victoria's "adopted" city.

We must not let it be said that we are  
willing to let the Russians do the fighting  
and sacrificing, while we do only the cele-  
brating.

Admiral Soemu Toyoda succeeds Admiral  
Koga, killed in action, as commander of the  
Jap navy. Toyoda's first move will be to  
find the navy.

Gandhi has been released by Field Mar-  
shal Lord Wavell, Viceroy of India. It is an  
old story. Agitation and disorder; Gandhi  
arrested; Gandhi ails; Gandhi released so a  
martyr will not die in prison. Some day  
death will step in. If the administration in  
India has luck, it will be one of the days  
Gandhi is out.

James Caesar Petrillo's made-work-as-  
usual program has been disrupted by the  
U.S. War Labor Board which has ordered  
striking members of his American Federa-  
tion of Musicians back to work at their radio  
jobs in Chicago and Minneapolis. It seems  
to be something new in Mr. Petrillo's musi-  
cian experience to have someone else calling  
the tune. He is accustomed to doing that,  
putting on a great number of pipers to play  
it, and then taking his cut of the pipers' pay.

#### Bruce Hutchison

##### FOREIGN POLICY AGREEMENT

APPARENTLY CANADA has achieved  
this essential agreement in foreign  
policy. All parties of importance have now  
stated their agreement on certain funda-  
mentals, summarized as follows:

"Canada will work for and participate in  
the creation and maintenance of an interna-  
tional organization of peace-loving nations  
to enforce world peace, and to this organiza-  
tion will make binding commitments needed  
for collective security.

"Canada will retain its membership in  
the British Commonwealth of Nations, will  
consult at all times with its partners in the  
Commonwealth, and will try to achieve by  
consultation a common policy but will not bind  
itself in advance to accept the decisions of  
the other partners, and will retain freedom  
of action if these decisions do not satisfy it.

"Canada will work for the creation of  
maximum trade between all nations, for the  
re-establishment of broken nations which  
must be its markets in the future."

This policy was formally laid down by  
Mr. King in Parliament on Jan. 31 last. It  
has been accepted by Mr. Coldwell for the  
C.C.F. In his definite statement to Mac-  
lean's Magazine, Mr. Bracken outlined pre-  
cisely the same policy for the Conservative  
Party. Our three major political parties ap-  
pear unanimous in all these basic points of  
foreign policy.

It remains, however, to be seen whether  
the statements of Messrs. King, Bracken and  
Coldwell will withstand the attrition of  
events. The views of the Liberal Party will  
not alter, for there is no disagreement on  
them within the party councils. The C.C.F.'s  
views on the political aspects of foreign  
policy are not likely to alter either. As for  
the Conservative Party, the utterances of  
some of its leaders suggest a certain con-  
fusion of mind which may disappear or in-  
crease.

Mr. Bracken's statement of policy in  
Maclean's Magazine is clear enough—he  
favors an international organization, will  
consult with the Commonwealth nations, but  
will not make any commitments to fight for  
them in advance and without the approval of  
Parliament. He also favors the removal of  
trade barriers, which means systematic re-  
duction of Canadian tariffs, of the system  
of protection which his party originated and  
has always maintained.

Taken alone, the statement of Mr.  
Bracken endorses in every vital particular  
the foreign policy of the King government.  
On the basis of this statement, we are as-  
sured that the Conservative Party is now  
entirely united. If so, the unity has come  
rather suddenly and within a matter of  
weeks. This is clear from a glance at the  
public record.

AT THE 1942 convention Mr. George Drew,  
now one of the major forces in the party,  
proclaimed a strong imperialist and  
centralist line and amazed many lawyers by  
constructing the British North America Act  
as binding Canada to frame all its policies  
primarily to forward the interests of the  
British Empire.

On July 9 last, as his party's chosen  
spokesman in Parliament, Howard Green,  
the chief British Columbia Conservative poli-  
tician, insisted that the British Common-  
wealth must speak through a single voice.

When these issues emerged sharply in  
the speeches of Field Marshal Smuts and  
Lord Halifax Mr. Bracken refused to make  
any comment on them, pending the present  
meeting of Commonwealth prime ministers  
in London. Mr. Drew, obviously persuaded  
to remain silent to avoid making trouble in  
the party, spoke mysteriously about the pres-  
ent dangers of the Commonwealth and in-  
sisted that there was something wrong with  
it, which he did not specify. Mr. Green came  
to British Columbia and announced that  
the party's policy followed the lines laid down  
by Lord Halifax and were utterly opposed  
to those of Mr. King, who planned to make  
Canada a small nation under the thumb of  
the United States.

Mr. Bracken then endorsed Mr. Malcolm  
MacDonald's attack on power politics and on  
the whole Halifax-Smuts concept; where-  
upon Mr. Bracken was bitterly attacked by  
his three chief newspaper supporters, the  
Toronto Globe and Mail, the Toronto Tele-  
graph and the Montreal Gazette.

Mr. Bracken then issued a statement ex-  
plaining his views. He defended Lord Hal-  
ifax, whose views Mr. MacDonald had de-  
nounced, he urged greater consultation be-  
tween the British nations, but he rejected  
any thought of centralism or rigidity in the  
Commonwealth or any infringement of Can-  
ada's free status. For reasons still obscure,  
this statement by Mr. Bracken was warmly  
endorsed by the newspapers which had at-  
tacked his endorsement of Mr. MacDonald's  
condemnation of power politics. Finally Mr.  
Bracken issued in Maclean's Magazine a  
statement prepared weeks before and out-  
lined above.

THE ELECTORS will be excused if they  
find this chain of events bewildering.  
If they wonder about the unity of a party in  
which Mr. Green says one thing and Mr.  
Bracken another; a party whose newspaper  
supporters attack Mr. King's foreign policy  
and endorse the same policy from the lips  
of Mr. Bracken; a party which insists that  
Mr. King must go and proposes to substitute  
in his place a leader who will follow, as he  
asserts, the same program so far as Com-  
monwealth relations and foreign policy are  
concerned.

The explanation of this confusion may be  
quite simple. It is to be found, we suspect,  
not in the statement of Canadian policy but  
in the concept of the future world. The Con-  
servative Party accepts Mr. King's foreign  
policy but all of it does not accept his rejec-  
tion of the fundamental Halifax theory, the  
theory that the world will be and must be  
ruled by three of four "titans" blocs with their  
attendant satellites.

#### News Analysis—

##### The War Today

By DE WITT MACKENZIE  
Associated Press War Analyst

Allied bombing and other pre-  
parations for D-day are slipping  
rapidly towards their peak.

That's not in any way intended  
as a forecast to compete with the  
Hitlerian astrologer who went on  
the air in Berlin Wednesday night  
and in gloomy gutters an-  
nounced that "the seventh day  
after the full moon often sees  
casualties and death." Next Mon-  
day will be the seventh day.

##### ALL TO SHARE

However, it is evident we are  
approaching the peak of pre-  
paredness. That is true not only  
in the invasion zone but in all  
other European theatres. For  
this greatest land-water-air opera-  
tion of history is to be supported  
by the co-ordinated, all-out efforts  
of every fighting unit that can  
lend a useful hand, wherever it  
may be.

Everything seems to be gauged  
by its relation to D-day. The re-  
capture of Sevastopol illustrates  
that point. There's a victory  
which normally would have the  
world on tiptoe of excitement.

Yet we measure the fall of  
Sevastopol by its relation to the  
invasion of western Europe. Actu-  
ally the two events are related,  
for the recapture of that strategic  
Black Sea naval base was essen-  
tial to the perfect co-ordination of  
movements on the Romanian coast  
if necessary.

##### BLOWS COMING IN ITALY

Over in Italy, too, there are  
signs of Allied operations to sup-  
port D-day. The Hitlerites are  
looking for offensives both on the  
Cassino front and from the Anzio  
beachhead. Probably it was in  
anticipation of such drives that  
the Germans pulled back and  
straightened their line in the  
Paleria sector, and so made it less  
vulnerable. They are getting set  
for the storm.

Berlin, feverishly trying to  
check on the invasion machine,  
reports that the southeastern  
coast of England swarms with  
troops ready to embark, and that  
a huge invasion fleet is assembled  
in Channel ports. Of course, the  
Allies don't take the trouble to  
deny that. You can keep D-day a  
dark secret, known by perhaps  
six or eight people, but you can't  
hide thousands of ships and hun-  
dreds of thousands of soldiers.

It needs no imagination, either,  
to believe that the greatest arma-  
da of warships ever assembled  
is ready for the titanic task of  
conveying its precious army of  
invasion to the hostile shores.

##### THIS WAR—FOUR YEARS AGO

May 11, 1940—Fierce fighting  
reported from the Netherlands  
and Belgium as Dutch troops  
battled Nazi paratroops at vari-  
ous airdromes. Invaders gained  
foothold on Belgian defensive  
positions at Maastricht, and  
claimed capture of Eben Amai,  
one of Liege forts.

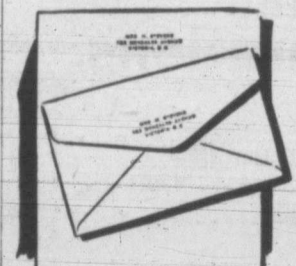
It is neither necessary or pos-  
sible to occupy Japan for any  
length of time after her defeat.  
All that is necessary is to defeat  
her thoroughly and then deprive  
her of her territories.—Prof. Na-  
thaniel Pfeffer of Columbia Uni-  
versity.

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**LIFE ON THE FARM**  
From London Free Press

The truth is that the children  
of the farm have seen so much  
of unending labor, long hours,  
weary struggles with the weather,  
toil and skill unrewarded, the  
small pittance of money which is  
earned by all this toil, that when  
they become men and women  
their first thought is to get away.

Solution of the problem of the  
drift away from the land may  
prove to be much more drastic  
than some of us yet realize.  
Farming as we know it today  
in Ontario is decades behind the  
times, as compared with Indus-  
try. It would appear that the  
day of the "family farm" may be  
past owing to economic condi-  
tions which call for larger farms,  
the use of more mechanized  
equipment, the need for standar-  
dized wages in farming.

Possibly farming must give  
way to a new industry, "food  
production," on a larger scale and  
on a business basis. The farm  
as at present constituted in On-  
tario is unable to pay the divi-  
dends needed to keep farm child-  
ren on the land. Larger units  
might be able to do so. Canada  
is in the throes of progress and  
change, and one of the most im-  
portant phases of this change  
will be reorganization of our  
farms and farm life. Only then  
shall we be able to keep our  
Canadian boys and girls on the  
land.

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great deal in the maintenance at  
a high level of our wartime econ-  
omy in this community.

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# Today's Crossword Puzzle

**HORIZONTAL**

1. 7 Pictured  
2. 10 U.S. President  
3. 12 Area measure  
4. 13 Uncommon  
5. 14 Bustle  
6. 15 Hebrew letter  
7. 16 Dance step  
8. 18 Pompous  
9. 20 Meander  
10. 21 Circus of  
11. 22 Smooth  
12. 23 Young salmon  
13. 24 Rips  
14. 27 Caterpillar  
15. 28 Hairs  
16. 29 Of the thing  
17. 30 Lake  
18. 31 South Dakota  
19. 32 Babylonian  
20. 33 Fairy (abbr.)  
21. 34 Parcel post  
22. 35 Symbol for  
23. 36 Seminary  
24. 37 Id est (abbr.)  
25. 38 Parent  
26. 39 Endures  
27. 40 Sleeping  
28. 41 vision  
29. 42 Mail drinks  
30. 43 Festival  
31. 44 Rational  
32. 45 Sweet potato  
33. 46 Meat  
34. 47 Metal  
35. 48 Out of  
36. 49 (prefix)  
37. 50 English account  
38. 51 money  
39. 52 Solar disk  
40. 53 Paid notice  
41. 54 Run  
42. 55 African foxes

**VERTICAL**

1. 1 Elk  
2. 2 Lectures  
3. 3 Doctor (abbr.)  
4. 4 Knock  
5. 5 Vagabond  
6. 6 Filled  
7. 7 Walk in water  
8. 8 Fish  
9. 9 Behold!  
10. 10 Mass dramas  
11. 11 Drew closer  
12. 12 He made trips  
13. 13 across the  
14. 14 during  
15. 15 No term  
16. 16 Any  
17. 17 Pillar  
18. 18 25 Sings  
19. 19 Irritates  
20. 20 Lines  
21. 21 function  
22. 22 Palatable  
23. 23 Actor  
24. 24 King's home  
25. 25 Lament  
26. 26 Rectifies  
27. 27 Seminary  
28. 28 (abbr.)  
29. 29 Dine  
30. 30 Insect  
31. 31 Near  
32. 32 Tree part  
33. 33 Poker stakes  
34. 34 55 Either  
35. 35 Names (abbr.)  
36. 36 Low haunt  
37. 37 55 Either  
38. 38 Names (abbr.)  
39. 39 Low haunt

Answer to previous puzzle



## Canada's Honor Roll

**WOUNDED OFFICERS**

Quebec Regiment  
FLETCHER, Donald Johnston, Capt.  
Three Rivers, Que.  
New Brunswick Regiment  
TUCKER, Herbert Harold, Lieut., Helena, Mont.  
Royal Canadian Army Service Corps  
ARSENAU, Joseph Hector, Lieut., Quebec.

**SLIGHTLY WOUNDED**

Quebec Regiment  
BEATLECK, Thomas Wyndham, A. Maj., Montreal.

**SERIOUSLY INJURED**

Eastern Ontario Regiment  
CHARETTE, John Edward, Lieut., Ottawa.

**DANGEROUSLY ILL**

Regiment de Quebec  
DORION, Gerard Marie Joseph, Quebec.

**WARRANT OFFICERS, N.C.O.'s and MEN NOW REPORTED KILLED**

British Columbia Regiment  
McLACHLAN, Donald James, A. S. Sgt., Calgary.

**KILLED IN ACTION**

Royal Canadian Artillery  
BENEDICT, Charles Edwin, Ont., Bar-  
tholomew, Ont.  
DODDS, Peter, Pte., Toronto.  
TIDDALE, John Edwin, Kingston, Ont.

**DIED OF WOUNDS**

Reconnaissance Units  
RUNCIE, William Frederick, L. Sgt., Ottawa.

**DIED**

Canadian Armored Corps  
DAVIS, Newton Ross, Tpr., Winnipeg.  
Royal Canadian Artillery  
MURDOCK, Donald John, Gnr., South  
River, Ont.  
Royal Canadian Engineers  
ROBINSON, Samuel Cortner, Spr.,  
Windsor, Ont.

**RED CROSS HEAD—Northern**  
Urquhart, well-known business-  
man, who has been elected chair-  
man of the National Executive of  
the Canadian Red Cross Society  
at the annual meeting in  
Toronto. Mr. Urquhart is a  
former president of the Toronto  
Stock Exchange and is a director  
of the Royal Bank of Canada and  
Noranda Mines Limited. Since  
1940 he has been chairman of the  
Red Cross Prisoners of War  
Food Parcels Committee which  
has been responsible for provid-  
ing food for Canadian and Em-  
pire prisoners in Europe and the  
Far East.



**HEADS RED CROSS IN B.C.—**  
Lt.-Col. C. A. Scott, former over-  
seas director for the Canadian  
Red Cross Society, and more re-  
cently Canadian field director,  
now appointed as B.C. commis-  
sioner for this organization. With  
wide experience gained in Eng-  
land and on the continent in the  
early days of the war when he  
established Canadian Red Cross  
headquarters in London, Col.  
Scott brings to his new position  
a thorough knowledge of Red  
Cross work both here and abroad.

Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps  
SMITH, Arthur, Pte., Sheffield, Eng.  
Royal Canadian Ordnance Corps  
SCHNEIDER, John Conrad, Cpl., Cal-  
gary.  
Canadian Provost Corps  
JOHNSTON, Samuel, Sgt., Toronto.  
Canadian Forestry Corps  
WHITE, John William Franklin, Sgt.,  
Paddockton, Sask.  
**DANGEROUSLY WOUNDED**  
Royal Canadian Artillery  
MERRY, Austin James, Gnr., Kingston,  
Ont.  
Eastern Ontario Regiment  
CARSON, Patrick Andrew, Pte., Dou-  
glas, Ont.  
**SERIOUSLY WOUNDED**  
Manitoba Regiment  
FLORENTINE, Harry, Pte., Winnipeg.  
Alberta Regiment  
WILLIAMS, Ernest Charles, Pte., Vale-  
mount, B.C.  
**SEVERELY WOUNDED**  
Western Ontario Regiment  
KENDALL, Marvin Leroy, L. Cpl., Chal-  
ham, Ont.  
WOINNEB.  
Royal Canadian Artillery  
MUNROE, Eugene Theodore, Gnr.,  
Woodstock, N.B.  
Royal Canadian Engineers  
BOUILLER, Oliver Dawson, Spr.,  
French Village, N.S.  
MacDONALD, Milton Warren, Spr.,  
North Bay, Ont.  
POITTEAU, Morris, Spr., Lebrun, Sask.  
Western Ontario Regiment  
ATTEWELL, Thomas, Pte., Blenheim,  
Ont.  
Central Ontario Regiment  
HISCOX, Hubert Sayre, A. Sgt., To-  
ronto.  
KINSLEY, Douglas Richard, Pte., To-  
ronto.  
McNAUGHTON, Joseph Robert, A. Sgt.,  
Morrisburg, Ont.  
Eastern Ontario Regiment  
MCNEELY, Arnold Wallace, Pte., Carle-  
ton Place, Ont.  
SCHIAZZA, Anthony Paul, Pte., Peter-  
borough, Ont.  
Quebec Regiment  
O'DOWD, Patrick Lisle, Sgt., George-  
town, Demerara, British Guiana.  
British Columbia Regiment  
OLSEN, Alf Louis, Sgt., Helena, Mont.  
**SLIGHTLY WOUNDED**  
Infantry  
HAIG, Victor Lorne Nesbitt, A. Cpl.,  
Montreal.  
Western Ontario Regiment  
LAUTENSCHLAGER, Harold George,  
Hamburg, Ont.  
British Columbia Regiment  
BROWN, James, Pte., Vancouver.  
**WOUNDED, REMAINING ON DUTY**  
Royal Canadian Engineers  
DOBUECK, John, A. L. Cpl., Montreal.  
IVET, Douglas, Spr., North Sydney, N.S.  
McMILLAN, Bernard Malcolm, Spr.,  
Verdon, Que.  
**WOUNDED ACCIDENTALLY**  
Royal Canadian Corps of Signals  
SHAW, John James, A. L. Cpl., Char-  
lottetown, P.E.I.  
**SEVERELY INJURED**  
Canadian Armored Corps  
ROBARTSON, Edward, Tpr., Bifrost of  
Arboret, Man.  
**INJURED**  
Canadian Armored Corps  
SMITH, William Eric, Tpr., Cobalt, Ont.  
Reconnaissance Units  
DICKSON, Walter Gordon, A. Cpl., Grand  
Valley, Ont.  
Royal Canadian Artillery  
BARNHART, Jack Don, Gnr., Niagara  
Falls, Ont.  
DAVIS, Warren Nelson, Gnr., Peter-  
borough, Ont.  
MASON, William John, Gnr., Perth, Ont.  
Royal Canadian Engineers  
BEAULIEU, Albert, Spr., Montreal.  
MAINVILLE, Lionel, Spr., Casselman,  
Ont.  
ROLFPE, Raymond George, Spr., Hal-  
fax, N.S.  
British Columbia Regiment  
DORAN, Robert Joseph, Pte., Great  
Falls, Mont.  
Royal Canadian Army Service Corps  
MARKIN, Alexander, Pte., Whitebeech,  
Sask.  
PARENT, Paul, Pte., Ottawa.  
PETERSON, Walter, Pte., Regina.  
ROSE, James Campbell, Pte., Edmonton.  
Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps  
McKENNA, Ronald, Notice, Pte., Anti-  
gonish, N.S.  
Royal Canadian Ordnance Corps  
PORTER, Henry, Pte., Kildonan, V.I.  
**SLIGHTLY INJURED**  
Royal Canadian Artillery  
WILLIAMS, Earl, Gnr., Montreal.  
Royal Canadian Engineers  
COULL, Alfred Harrison, A. Cpl., Dal-  
housie, N.S.  
Royal Canadian Corps of Signals  
KNIGHT, William Herbert, Stimm., Vic-  
toria.  
Royal Canadian Corps of Signals  
MacLEOD, Stanley Arnold, Stimm., Lewis  
Cove Rd., N.S.  
Nova Scotia and Prince Edward  
Island Regiment  
PELLEY, M.M. Howard William, Pte.,  
Guysborough, N.S.  
WOOD, Francis Alister, L. Cpl., Glace  
Bay, N.S.  
New Brunswick Regiment  
CLARK, Joseph Irving, Pte., McAdam  
Junction, N.B.  
Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps  
FRAM, Alexander, Sgt., Hamilton, Ont.  
MAXWELL, Samuel Bruce, Pte., Win-  
nipeg.  
Royal Canadian Ordnance Corps  
BUCHANAN, Lawrence Campbell, Pte.,  
Burnaby, Vancouver.  
CHALMERS, Thomas Brown, Pte., To-  
ronto.  
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Regiment de Quebec  
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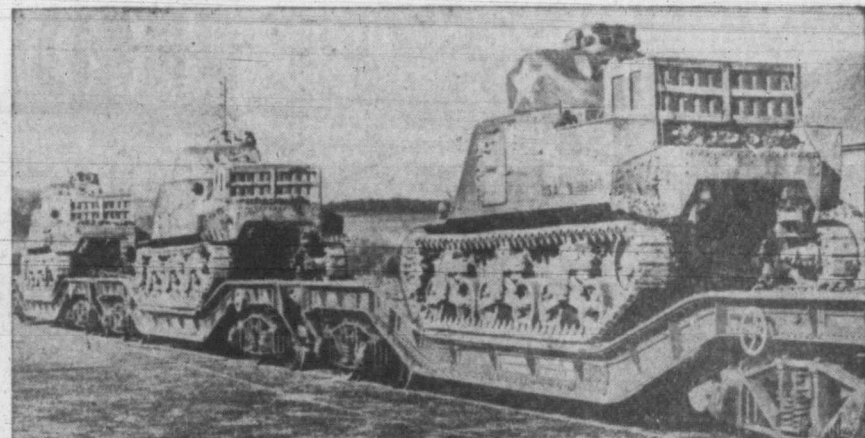
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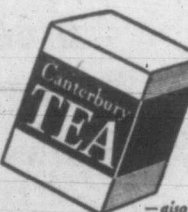
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## Weddings

### BILTON-LAITINEN

Eileen Phyllis Laitinen, graduate of Royal Inland Hospital in Kamloops, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Laitinen, Salmon Arm, was united in marriage May 5 at the home of Mrs. and Mrs. R. M. Nicol, 880 Monterey Avenue, to Bdr. Laverne Joseph Bilton, 25th L.A.A. Bty., son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Bilton, Hamilton, Ont. Rev. T. Menzies of the United Church read the service.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and wore a turquoise blue suit with lilac hat and matching accessories. Her corsage bouquet was composed of pink roses and she carried a white prayer book. Miss Wilma Laitinen was her sister's only attendant and wore a gold afternoon frock with matching accessories and a corsage bouquet of pink carnations. Walter Brazanski, Nanaimo, was groomsmen.

A reception followed the ceremony, when Mr. and Mrs. Nicol were assisted in receiving the guests by the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Laitinen, from Salmon Arm. Also from out-of-town were Nat Choke of Ladysmith and Earl Kernaghan of Salmon Arm. Several telegrams of congratulations were received by the bride and groom from relatives and friends. After a short honeymoon Bdr. and Mrs. Bilton will reside at 880 Monterey Avenue.

## Y.P. Activities

Metropolitan Y.P.U. Members enjoyed a mystery trip which led to "Helmcken House," Elliott Street, the pioneer home of the descendants of Sir James Douglas. Mrs. H. Webster conducted the group through the house. Miss Mary Nelson, cultural convener, was in charge of program arrangements, and the president, Miss Ella Marr, expressed appreciation of the members to Mrs. Webster. Returning to the church, games were played and refreshments served. New members welcomed were Miss Helen Carruthers and Martin Antonson. Bowling is scheduled for Friday at 7.30 at Gibson's Bowldrome. Next meeting will be Tuesday at 8 at the church.

Willows. Mrs. T. Kay was elected president at the annual meeting Tuesday. Honorary president is Capt. F. G. Dexter; first vice-president, Mrs. P. Bennett; second vice-president, B. Gillie; secretary, Mrs. L. Peters; treasurer, Mrs. E. Cooper; social convener, Mrs. W. Bromley; fine arts, Mrs. H. Jones; membership, Mrs. D. E. Smith; publicity, P. Noel; study group, Mrs. A. L. Stevenson; literature, Mrs. J. McLaren. Officers were installed by P. E. George. Delegates chosen for the P.T.A. Council were Mesdames Kay, B. T. Derry and G. Bewley.



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## An Edmonton Visitor

Miss Heather Keltie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Keltie of Edmonton, is pictured in the garden of the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander MacFadyen, 1126 Richardson Street. Miss Keltie will be a Victoria visitor for several weeks.



## W.A. to R.C.N. Forwards \$100 To Recreation Hut

A cheque for \$100 is being forwarded by the W.A. to the R.C.N. to the Canadian Legion at Comox to buy much-needed equipment for the recreation hut for men of the three services built and maintained by the legion. This amount was voted at a meeting held in the Y.W.C.A., Mrs. T. D. Kelly presiding.

H.M.C.S. Beacon Hill will also receive a cheque for \$100 from the auxiliary for comforts for men of the ship.

An invitation has been extended to all officers' wives and mothers to attend the Tuesday meetings of the W.A. to the R.C.N. In order to get in touch with as many as possible a reception committee consisting of Mrs. T. F. Griffin, Mrs. McHardy, Mrs. C. H. Love and Mrs. C. V. Laws was formed at the meeting.

A talent basket under the convener'ship of Mrs. C. T. Teakle and Mrs. P. Jackson will soon be a familiar sight to Victorians. Autographed pictures of His Majesty the King and Her Majesty the Queen have been purchased, and will shortly be presented to Royal Roads for the junior and senior gunrooms.

An appeal for cushions or pictures suitable for brightening a Wren's recreation room was made to members. Mrs. E. Makowski, wool convener, reported 52 garments completed during April.

Fifty-two hospital visits to the Royal Jubilee and St. Joseph's Hospitals were made during the month, Mrs. George Hull stated. Mrs. Gillard reported that 1010 felt hats had been ripped during April, 240 at the house meetings, 200 by individuals, 420 at the Tuesday afternoon meetings and 150 by the Jill Tars. Mrs. Ker and individual members washed and pressed 650 hats during the month.

Members with flower gardens were asked to bring bouquets to the meetings to be purchased by members without gardens. Proceeds will go in the funds.

Miss Ruby Blyth, Esquimalt Services House has extended an invitation to the members and their friends to an open house June 2 from 2 to 4 in the afternoon and 7 to 9 in the evening.

## Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Day, 3240 Doncaster Drive, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Laurin Louise, to Anton Robert Maze, R.C.A., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Maze, Regina, Sask. The wedding to take place at St. Luke's Church on June 8.

## Clubwomen

Mrs. O. M. Brown spoke of her experiences when visiting East Indian families at a meeting of Centennial Women's Missionary Society. Mrs. Brown accompanied Mrs. Arfanti Kudra who sang a solo. Mrs. J. Cox presided and Mrs. A. Butler was in charge of the devotional period. Mrs. Frank Hall sang a solo.

Mrs. J. P. Hicks presided at the meeting of the Women's Missionary Society, Victoria West United Church at the home of Mrs. Gordon Mitchell, Raynor Avenue. Mrs. Jukes led the opening devotional and Mrs. J. H. Croft gave the treasurer's report. Mrs. George Guy reviewed the study book, and solos were sung by Mrs. A. Mawer, accompanied by Mrs. L. A. Young.

A tea will be held by W.A. Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion at the home of Mrs. G. Ree, 179 Bushby Street, Friday at 2.30. Mrs. G. Sheldrick reported on the provincial executive meeting held at Nanaimo, stating \$200 was donated to the Save the Children Fund. A donation of \$50 was made to H.M.C.S. Beacon Hill. Mrs. E. Jarvis, war work convener, reported sending 25 pairs of survivors' socks to the Navy League. Mrs. H. Broadbent has offered her home for a tea July 12. Mrs. B. Wait reported visiting sick members. Mrs. D. Swan and Mrs. Sheldrick were named delegates to the B.C. Provincial Command Convention in Vancouver June 2 and 3. Mrs. Thompson will attend the Memorial Tablet for May. Mrs. A. Copp and Mrs. Swan will attend Legion funerals. Mrs. H. Miller reported the concert netted \$58 for the War Work Fund.

"Architecture" was the subject of the cultural program conducted by Mrs. A. Morrison at the meeting of Zeta chapter, Beta Sigma Phi sorority. Formal installation of new officers took place: Miss Frances Law, president; Miss Edna Raper, vice-president; Miss Marjorie MacLennan, recording secretary; Mrs. W. Lewis, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. L. Wardman, treasurer. Frances Law conducted the business meeting. Plans were made for a Mother's Day tea May 14, at the Empress Hotel. A motion was passed to buy a war-bond. Director, Mrs. T. Hammond, reported 33,895 stamps had been sent to England this year and sold for the benefit of bombed-out hospitals. A committee was formed to arrange for inviting Alpha Zeta chapter from Port Angeles as week-end guests. Next meeting will be May 22, at the Y.W.C.A.

Esquimalt Rural Nursing Service Council meeting Monday, 8.30, home of Mrs. H. A. Hinks, Langford... Colwood Women's Institute Wednesday, convener, Mrs. S. M. Vallis and Mrs. S. Lang... Luxton and Happy Valley W.I. motion pictures by Mrs. Rose Palmer, Wednesday evening, Luxton hall.

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## Personals

Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. W. C. Woodward left Government House Wednesday evening for Vancouver. Their daughter, Mrs. Glen McDonald, with her baby daughter, Rebecca May, have arrived from Vancouver and are staying at Government House.

Miss C. D. Day, Vancouver, is at the Empress.

Dr. and Mrs. Morrish of Edmonton are at the Empress Hotel. Mrs. H. L. N. Salmon, Toronto, is at the Empress.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Robinson have come to Victoria from Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Alverson of Edmonton are at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Woods of San Pedro have come to Victoria and are at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. James Young of Vancouver is spending a month in Victoria, the guest of Mrs. Brooke Stephenson, 230 Denison Avenue.

Mrs. J. A. Macdonell is visiting from Vancouver for a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ruggles, 901 Royal Terrace.

Dr. Arthur Collingwood, F.R.C.O. and dean of music at University of Saskatchewan, accompanied by Mrs. Collingwood, will be guests at the Empress Hotel over the week-end.

Miss Reta Sproule arrived this afternoon from Toronto for her marriage to Surgeon Lieut. David Berkeley Stark, R.C.N.V.R., which will take place Friday afternoon in St. John's Church.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. C. Wickett entertained at their home on Hampshire Road, when organists of the city met Mr. Ernest Wiloughby, new organist at Christ Church Cathedral, and Mrs. Wiloughby.

Miss Mazon de la Roche, famous novelist, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. MacMillan of Vancouver, arrived on Vancouver Island today to make an extended visit to Mr. and Mrs. MacMillan's home at Qualicum.

Seattle visitors who are registered at the Empress Hotel are: Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. J. Carthage, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Simonds, Miss Barbara Anne Lui and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cochrane.

Annual spring opening of the Oak Bay Golf Club was held Tuesday at the club when over 40 lady members attended luncheon and later played foursomes. Mrs. S. Blakeney and Mrs. G. McLaughlin were winners in the golf tournament.

Mr. E. T. Kenney, M.P., with Mrs. Kenney and young son Edward of Terrace, have arrived in Victoria to attend the graduation exercises tonight of the 1944 class of Royal Jubilee Hospital, of which their daughter, Miss Norma Jean Kenney, is a member.

Miss Jean Palmer, national director of Junior Red Cross from Toronto, and Miss Margaret Palmer, B.C. director of Junior Red Cross, Vancouver, arrived in Victoria today to attend the Junior Red Cross rally at Victoria High School Friday and are staying at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. E. H. Lindley, 1209 Yukon Street, will go to Vancouver Saturday to attend the wedding of her daughter, Miss Mabel Lindley, and Mr. Gordon Shepherd of this city. Mrs. Lindley will be accompanied by her other daughter, Miss Lorraine Lindley.

Col. and Mrs. H. S. Tobin of Vancouver entertained at dinner Wednesday evening for Lady McDermott, Dominion P.A.D. Officer for the St. John Ambulance Brigade, Commander Headquarter, Ottawa, who has arrived from the east and will spend a week at the Pacific coast in connection with her duties.

Miss Kay McIntyre entertained at luncheon today in the Empress Hotel to honor Miss Gladwyn Beasley, whose marriage will take place Saturday. Her guests were Mrs. Larry Howard, Mrs. Elizabeth Chamberlain and the Misses Catherine Johnson, Helen Baird, Gloria Wilson, Claudia Jesse and Nora Drury.

Members of the Three B's Club, bundles for bombed babies, held a tea and work display at the home of Mrs. Eric Young, 1180 St. Louis Street. Hostesses for the afternoon were: Mesdames Eric Young, Cyril Warren, Tyson Dickenson, D. Hockley, E. Lee-Warner, F. E. Cross, C. Brynjolfsson, R. Storres, T. Edgelow and W. H. Parker.

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During her lecture Miss Cassleman shows slides to illustrate the methods of canning and also to show the types of equipment used and the difference between sealers, rings and ways and means of cooking. She also describes the type of food used and the best way this can be prepared. Describing the cold and hot pack and its uses on fruit and vegetables.

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## P.T.A. News

Sir James Douglas—At the annual meeting, school trustee F. G. Mulliner installed the incoming officers: Honorary president, W. H. Wilson; past president, Mrs. Henry B. Howard; president, Mrs. H. G. Woollett; first vice-president, Mrs. Wm. C. Hudson; second vice-president, Miss J. Gordon; secretary, Mrs. W. H. Beutelspacher; treasurer, Mrs. C. K. Saunders; executive, Mesdames W. M. Scott, Stanley H. Clark, K. Mills, W. E. Corry, John Houston, Robert Husband, W. A. McDonald, Alex Martin, G. Love, and Miss W. Copeland. R. V. James and J. S. Stevenson. On behalf of the P.T.A., Mr. Howard presented Mrs. Howard Wilson presented Mrs. Howard with an engraved silver plate

and Mrs. W. H. Yardley presented Mrs. Husband with a bouquet. Mrs. H. G. Woollett gave a report of the Vancouver convention and Mrs. H. Sibbald was appointed delegate to the Victoria and District Parent-Teacher Council, with Mrs. Wm. C. Hudson as alternate. Mrs. Woollett was named convener for the autumn bazaar. School sports will take place May 17, with Mrs. Sibbald as convener.

## Girl Guide Notes

West District — Friday in the Cathedral Memorial Hall, there will be a meeting of the West District Local Association, at 7.30. Reports of the convention in Vancouver will be given. Meeting will be followed by a meeting for all guiders of the division at 9.

## Meet the New Marquise



Kathleen Kennedy, daughter of Joseph P. Kennedy, former U.S. Ambassador to England, smiles happily for the cameraman after her wedding to the Marquis of Hartington, Capt. William John Cavendish. Lieut. Joseph Kennedy Jr., in background, now serving with the A.E.F. in England, was only member of the family at the ceremonies. (Radiophoto).

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Cheese is easily and completely digested if properly cooked or combined with other foods. It is a concentrated food rich in fat and protein, so it should be grated or used in combination with high carbohydrate foods. Cheese is slowly digested because of this high fat content and as a result is often erroneously believed to be indigestible. When cooking cheese you should be careful not to overlook it as it becomes tough and rubbery and as a result is hard to digest. When properly cooked it has a spongy texture.

## Victoria W.I. Will Present 'Sally Keeps a Secret'

Victoria Women's Institute drama group will present "Sally Keeps a Secret," a one-act play by Stella Blair, at the Truth Centre, as part of the variety entertainment in aid of the Canadian Prisoners of War Relatives Association, May 31. The "Life of Adelaide Hoodless," founder of all women's institutes will be depicted at the Hotel Vancouver, when the provincial four-day conference will take place. Mrs. Stella Blair is the author of both plays. Artists making the trip include Mesdames W. Jackson, George Bowers, Geo. Upward, Nelson Brown, J. Culross, R. O'Hara, C. Kerr, J. English, J. Terry, A. Wait, W. Bridge.

**THE Home Nurse**  
PLAN BABY CLOTHES FOR COMFORT, NOT CUTENESS  
By MAY BEARD  
Director, Nursing Service Red Cross

Mothers who know how to sew usually take pleasure in selecting dainty materials and making the layette for the expected new baby. If there are children in the family who are old enough to help they should be given a part in collecting the baby's wardrobe and making some of the simpler things. This encourages the feeling that the baby belongs to the whole family and helps to prevent childish jealousies.

Since small babies should be protected from public display they do not need fancy dress-up clothes. The baby will be more comfortable in his nightgown for the first few weeks, so a good supply of flannellette gowns is more important than dresses and petticoats at first.

**COMPLETE LAYETTE EARLY**  
All garments should be made for the baby's comfort and for practical use rather than for decorative purposes. Soft, lightweight materials that are warm and will stand much washing should be chosen. Garments that are open all the way down the back have several advantages. They are easier to put on and remove, they may be folded out of the way and kept dry when the baby is laid down and they are much easier to iron.

Several well-known pattern companies offer simple patterns for baby layettes, so you will have no difficulty in finding one that you can follow. The kimono sleeve style is easy to cut and make, fits loosely, and the baby can wear it for a long time before he outgrows it. Small flat seams that will iron down smoothly should be made on all garments, and no knots of thread left exposed to irritate the sensitive skin.

If possible the layette should be completed at least three months before the baby is due, so that the mother will not have to sew during the latter part of the pre-natal period if she does not feel like it.

## Dorothy Dix

### BABY MOTHER'S OWN CARE

Dear Miss Dix: In my neighborhood there are several young mothers who have drafted me as nurse for their children. Every afternoon they dress themselves up, dump their young ones on me, and go shopping and to the movies. And I am sick and tired of it. I have reared four children without calling for the help of my friends and relatives and acquaintances, and I think they should do the same.

I am a middle-aged woman, not very well. I do my own housework and I like to spend my afternoons resting, reading or working in my garden. But I can't do it when I have a lot of crying babies to look after, and restless kids to keep out of my flower-beds. I have tried hints in vain. What can I do to rid myself of these little pests? I don't want the job of nursemaid at my age.

**TIED NEIGHBOR.**  
Answer: You will have to stiffen up your backbone and frankly tell these young women who have shifted their burdens on to your shoulders that you are not running a free crèche, and that they will either have to stay at home and take care of their own youngsters, or else send them to a day nursery. Certainly you are very foolish to permit yourself to be victimized by your selfish neighbors.

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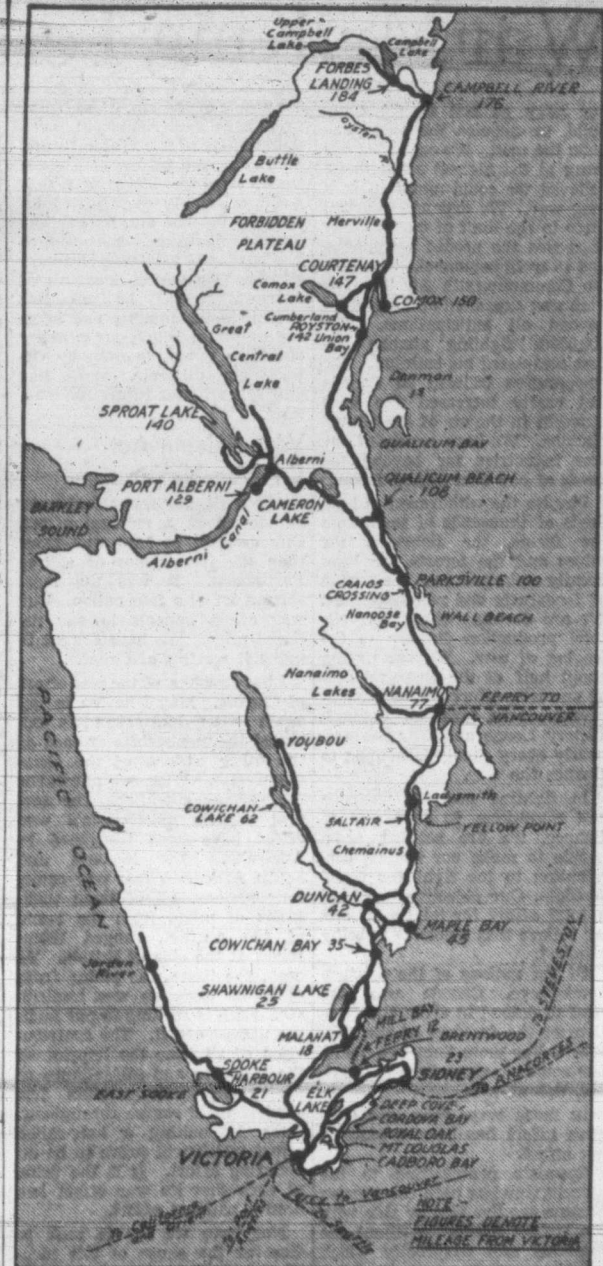
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Resort owners still urge that reservations be made as early as possible, even for May and June. Under present wartime conditions your co-operation in this matter will not only lessen chance of disappointment, but also help the managements of up-island vacation spots to handle a greater number of people and keep them happy.

### Half of Candidates For C.W.A.C. Unsuitable

Major Thomas Brayshaw, recruiting officer for the Pacific Command, said in an interview that approximately 50 per cent of recruits for the Canadian Women's Army Corps are rejected as unsuitable. All C.W.A.C. candidates now are interviewed by a psychiatric specialist who rejects women unsuited to army routine.



Vancouver Island Resorts are open and ready for early season business.

### Oak Bay Continues Civil Defence Grant

Oak Bay Council last night voted for the continuation of the annual grant of \$2,220 to the Provincial Civilian Protection Committee.

Authority was given the building inspector, T. Watt, to issue a building permit for a new house at 3455 Cadboro Bay. The owner of the proposed house is L. J. Proctor, and the contractors are Luney Bros. Request for sewer and water extension to the home was referred to the engineer.

H. C. F. Reston, chief of police, in his monthly report to the council, impressed the lesson learned by the Willows fire. "Once again," he said, "we have been taught a lesson which we learned by the old Arena fire, and that is that buildings which are to house several thousand people should be built of more substan-

tial, fire-resisting materials than wood."

A grant of \$140 was made by the council to the Oak Bay playgrounds committee and the free services of the municipal engineer offered.

As a result of legal advice regarding the proposed wage agreement with Oak Bay firemen, the council learned a wage agreement they might make with the fire department would only remain effective during the council's term of office. B. H. E. Gault, Department of Labor conciliation commissioner, is still negotiating between the council and the firemen.

A by-law was introduced providing for the correction of plans of Oak Bay sections of three roads, the roads being considerably out when compared with the original plans. The three roads are Finerty, Gordon Head and Cedar Hill Crossroad.

A second by-law introduced provided for the sale of six tax sale lots, and final reading was

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given to a by-law providing for the sale of seven tax-sale lots.

Initial reading was given to a by-law approving the apportionment of cost of the new Esplanade and Estevan sewer.

The Oak Bay Community Centre will be advised the council cannot send representatives to them as the centre is a private body.

Sympathy over the death of Esquimalt's Reeve Alex Lockley was expressed, condolences to be sent to Mrs. Lockley and the Esquimalt Council.

### Civilians to Quit British Coast When D-Day Comes

By WILLIAM SMITH WHITE  
LONDON (AP)—Emergency units are poised and ready to go into action on D-day to evacuate and care for non-combatants in British coastal towns. It was disclosed as the girding of Allied might made the fourth anniversary of Hitler's victorious lunge against the Low Countries one of sombre fear for the Germans.

Details about the units were kept secret, but all have been assigned to their posts at coastal invasion bases. Some coastal regions have already been closed to civilians moved out to make room for troops practicing for the invasion.

The air over Nazi Europe reverberated to Allied bombs and Nazi propaganda broadcasts. Germans throughout Europe speculated as to the hour and place of the mighty attack, while messages of hope and caution were going out from the governments in London of the little countries which since dawn four years ago Wednesday have borne the heavy weight of Nazi occupation.

### Princesses at Opera

LONDON (CP-Reuters)—Princess Elizabeth and Princess Margaret Rose saw their first opera Wednesday night—the Sadlers' Wells Company in "La Boheme" at the New Theatre. Both dressed in pale blue, they sat with the Queen in the royal box.

### Hope for Decision On Salary Increase

A decision this week on the wage increase being sought by Oak Bay firemen is hoped for as negotiations between the council and the fire department continue.

B. H. E. Gault, Provincial Department of Labor, is acting as government conciliator, and J. F. Abbott, head of Oak Bay local of the International Association of Firefighters, and M. W. Black, union representative, Vancouver, are acting for the firemen.

### Coldwell to Campaign In Saskatchewan Election

OTTAWA (CP)—M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. leader, said Wednesday night he would make a two-week pre-election campaign tour in support of his party in the Saskatchewan provincial election set for June 15.

At Toronto Tim Buck, national leader of the Labor-Progressive Party, said he would not participate in the Saskatchewan election campaign.

# Canada United In War Mr. King Tells Britain

## Unity of Commonwealth Depends On Freedom of Nation Members

LONDON (CP)—Text of Prime Minister King's speech before both Houses of Parliament:

Prime Minister, Lord Chancellor, Mr. Speaker, My Lords and Members of the House of Commons:

When I received from you, Prime Minister, the invitation to address members of both Houses of the Parliament of the United Kingdom, I found myself at a loss for words in which to acknowledge so high an honor. Your kindness in presiding on this occasion, your words of introduction, the traditions and associations of Westminster, and the presence in such numbers of members of the Lords and Commons add greatly to my sense of obligation.

I am only too well aware of all that it means to be the guest of the people of Britain, and to be speaking to them, and to others, from the heart of the British Commonwealth and Empire, at this moment of supreme crisis in human affairs. Your friendship and mine over many years of peace, and our close companionship throughout the years of war, afford me a support I greatly welcome in addressing this distinguished assembly.

Four years have now passed since you accepted the leadership of the people of Britain, and the leadership of the cause of human freedom. You and your colleagues have led this country, and the cause for which it stands, from the dark days of extreme peril, to this hour when at last the light is beginning to break. It is a source of confidence throughout the free world that you, Prime Minister, are continuing your leadership with a vision and a courage which have already become a legend.

I recognize that, for me, this occasion is designed as a welcome to Canada's representative at the meeting of Prime Ministers of the British Commonwealth. For the high compliment being paid Canada today, I should like to express my gratitude and pride. I know that the welcome you accord to me is equally heartfelt and generous towards the representatives of Australia, New Zealand and South Africa. I should like to say to Mr. Curtin, Mr. Fraser and Field Marshal Smuts how great is the admiration of the people of Canada for their leadership and of the heroic part which their countries have taken in this war. I should also like to say to them how glad I am that our presence in London at this time affords us not only exceptional opportunities of conferences, but of making clear to the world the oneness of nations of the Commonwealth in the winning of the war, and in seeking international co-operation after the war.

Perhaps I may be allowed to convey a special message from the people of Canada. No memory of happiness in the past is more cherished than the recollection of the visit of their Majesties the King and Queen. In Canada, as in Britain, the years of war have heightened the admiration and increased the affection felt by men and women everywhere for our King and Queen. We have been inspired by their courage and devotion in sharing the dangers and sorrows of the people.

In all the nations of the Commonwealth, their example has deepened the meaning and significance of our common allegiance to the crown. The heroic endurance of the people of Britain is ever present in our minds.

We shall never forget your resolution in the darkest days of the war. Nor shall we ever cease to remember the determination with which, amid destruction of your homes and in peril of your lives, you, the men, women and children of Britain, have continued to carry on your work, and to maintain your confidence in the future. Clearly the maintenance of human freedom has depended upon the preservation of the freedom of Britain. It is our greatest pride, as it is the greatest pride of other nations of the Commonwealth, that when, for so long a time, you alone bore the brunt of the attack, you stood with you in arms against the might of Nazi Germany. The free nations of the world can never forget that it was the indomitable resistance of the people of Britain that bought the precious time for the mobilization of the forces of freedom around the globe.

Britain has been an example to the world of the organization of a free people for a common task. You have astonished the world by the marvels of your industrial production, and by the skill and efficiency of your workers. You have never lost faith.

A new energy, a new confidence have been generated in your people. These will endure. And your faith, tested and tried in the fires of affliction, will be

firmer and stronger than it has ever been.

### British Contribution To War Unsurpassed

When victory is won, you will still possess the same initiative, vigor and endurance; the same skills of hand and brain; the same qualities in mind and spirit. These have enabled the people of Britain to make a contribution to the winning of the war, which, man for man, no other nation has surpassed. In peace as in war, these qualities will remain. In the building of a better world after the war, Britain will be able, by the force of her example, to give the same leadership that she has given in the waging of war.

It is, however, not of Britain but of Canada that I am expected to speak on this occasion. I should like, therefore, if I may, to speak to you particularly of the spirit of Canada, as exemplified in Canada's war effort. I do this with less embarrassment, as a like spirit, I know, animates the war efforts of all the nations united in a common allegiance to the Crown.

I should like to speak, as well, of what that spirit signifies for the future of the British Commonwealth, and of the relations of the nations of the Commonwealth in the building of a new world order.

In speaking of Canada's war effort, it is not my intention to describe our contribution to the present world conflict primarily in terms of men and materials. What I should like to refer to are certain aspects which, viewed collectively, reveal the spirit of the Canadian people.

I place first the aspect I regard as most significant. Canada's war effort is a voluntary effort. It is the free expression of a free people. Like the other nations of the Commonwealth at war today, we entered the war of our own free will; and not as the result of any formal obligation. Ours was not primarily a response to a call of blood or race. It was the outcome of our deepest political instinct—a love of freedom and a sense of justice. As our decision was a voluntary decision, so the effort of our people in carrying on the war has been a voluntary effort. In Canada, as in other countries, controls and restrictions have been imposed in order to prosecute the war with vigor and efficiency. But at every stage these measures have received the overwhelming support of the Canadian people.

Canada's population numbers 11,500,000. Three-quarters of a million of our finest young men are serving in the armed forces. This military demand on our manpower resources has not prevented our country from doubling its prewar production. Thanks to the skill and devotion of our men and women, Canada is a granary, an arsenal, and airdrome, and a shipyard of freedom. Our country has become increasingly proud of the fact that every fighting man from Canada serving across the seas, on the sea, and in the air is a volunteer. We can say, in very truth, that Canada's effort in this war is a voluntary effort.

Canada's decision to enter the war was an immediate decision. When, in 1939, the last hopes of peace were fading from the world, I announced that, if Britain took up arms in the defence of freedom, our government would ask Parliament to place Canada at Britain's side. When war came, there was no hesitation. As soon as Parliament could act, Canada was at war.

### Few in Canada Feared Attack

In those days, few if any of our people believed our country stood in immediate danger of attack. What we sensed immediately was the issue. We saw that a bitter struggle had begun between freedom and domination, and that the conflict would certainly spread. For the second time in a generation, Canada went to war to help prevent tyranny in Germany from extending its domination to other parts of the globe.

When the last war ended, the people of Canada, like other freedom-loving peoples, hoped and believed that peace and freedom had been assured to mankind for generations. In our national war memorial, that hope and that faith were symbolized in the inseparably joined figures of peace and freedom. But all our history, all our political experience told us that freedom in Canada could not survive in a world that was no longer free.

From the beginning, our war effort was so planned and organized that we might reach, as rapidly as possible, the maximum effort our people could sustain during a long war. We expanded

our navy as fast as we could build, or acquire the ships and train the men. We expanded our army to the highest strength we believed we could maintain in a long war. We expanded our air force to the limit of our capacity to secure the needed equipment and to train personnel. The British Commonwealth Air Training Plan was expedited and expanded beyond all anticipations. The 100,000th fighting airman has just completed his training. The co-operative training in Canada has vastly increased the joint strength in the air of the United Nations. We have expended our war industries far beyond the needs of our own armed forces.

Despite the withdrawal of hundreds of thousands of men from the farms, the fisheries, the mines and the forests, we have greatly enlarged our production of foodstuffs and raw materials. We are devoting about half our total production directly to the waging of war. We are paying about half of the financial cost of our war effort out of current revenue from taxation. Through Victory Loans and War Savings, nearly every family is helping to finance the war.

In fighting men, in weapons and munitions, in food and in finance, we are seeking as a people to make our utmost contribution to the fight for world freedom. Our objective has been a total effort for total war, and we believe that objective is being attained.

Of the nations of the western hemisphere, Canada was the first to defend in arms the frontiers of the freedom of the New World. For more than two years, our country, alone in the Americas, was at war.

In more ways than one Canada's effort has been a pioneering effort.

Canada's contribution to the present war has been the greater because we live side by side with the United States. Without the harmony and reciprocity which exist between our two countries, neither could have achieved so much in the common cause. The ability of both Canada and the United States to defend the North American continent, and to fight abroad, has been greatly increased by our arrangements for joint defence, and by the pooling of resources. We have sought to make Canada's war effort, wherever possible, a co-operative effort. The extensive military works undertaken in Canada in conjunction with the United States have provided a remarkable instance of close and friendly co-operation. Ours is surely the supreme example of a smaller nation living in the fullest security and harmony side by side with a very powerful one.

### Producing Weapons In Excess of Needs

As a part of our war policy, Canada is sharing with others of the United Nations, ships, machines, weapons and other supplies which we are producing far in excess of the needs of our own armed forces. Since the war began, we have supplied to Britain, and to Britain's armed forces, war materials and other supplies worth nearly \$900,000,000 (\$4,000,000,000). Almost half of these supplies represent an outright contribution. Under our system of mutual aid, war materials have, for the past year, been supplied without payment to the United Nations, in accordance with strategic need. Canada is now supplying mutual aid to Britain, Australia, the Soviet Union, China and the French Committee of National Liberation.

As the war has progressed, our effort has become more and more a world-wide effort. Canadian-made machines and munitions of war have been used on all the fighting fronts. Canadian sailors and merchant seamen have served on all oceans. Our airmen have fought in the battle of the skies around the globe. From the early days of the war, our soldiers have helped to guard this island. They have seen active service in the Pacific area, as well as at Dieppe, and in the Italian campaign. Today our army awaits the word of command to join with their comrades in the Liberation of Europe. The morrow will witness Canadian forces taking part in a final assault upon Japan. Canada's effort has truly become a world-wide effort.

I need scarcely say that we are in this war to the end. Canada's fight for freedom will be a fight to the finish. It is clear to our people that this war is all one war; a monstrous conspiracy of the Fascist powers to dominate and enslave the world. Having taken up arms of their own free will, the Canadian people will not relax until freedom is secure. Canada's effort will be an enduring effort.

We have also sought to look beyond the war; to make our effort a long-range effort. The Canadian people, no less than

the people of Britain, whose sacrifices have been so great, need the promise of a brighter future. To sustain us in our endeavors, we all need the vision of a new world order. By co-ordinated action, by mutual aid, by continuous co-operation, the United Nations are achieving military victory. The widest measure of co-operation will be no less needed in the making and keeping of peace. While our primary aim, like yours, is military victory; our ultimate aim, like yours, is a better future for mankind.

### War Solemn Act Of Free Nation

Above all, our war effort must be viewed as a national effort. Our decision in 1939 was more than the free choice of a free Parliament. It was the most solemn act of a free nation. Our war effort appeals to our national pride. We have sought to make it worthy of Canada.

I have spoken of the war effort of Canada. May I hasten to say again that a like spirit has animated the war efforts of each of the other nations of the Commonwealth. With due allowance for varying conditions, the several aspects of Canada's war effort have been paralleled in Australia, New Zealand and South Africa. When war came, four nations, all of them thousands of miles from the scene of the conflict, ranged themselves at the side of Britain. To each, the issue was plain; from each the response was immediate. Each is seeking to put forth the utmost effort. The contributions of all bear the imprint of the initiative and self-reliance of the pioneer. Co-operation has marked their course throughout.

Each is making a long-range effort which will prove to be an enduring effort. It is the pride of each that its war effort has been a national effort. Nor have we far to seek to discover the cause of this identity of effort on the part of the nations of the Commonwealth. The spirit of a nation is not readily defined. It is known only as it is revealed. It resembles the flow of waters hidden beneath the earth's surface. From time to time, and from place to place, the waters having their origin in some secret source, reveal themselves as springs, or streams, or rivers. So also, from time to time, a nation's spirit wells up from its source and manifests itself in the collective acts of a people. Such collective actions are quickened and heightened at a time of war.

The war efforts of the nations of the Commonwealth, and their inspiration to a common source. That source is the love of freedom and the sense of justice which, through generations have been nurtured and cherished in Britain, as nowhere else in the world. The terrible events of 1940 revealed how great was the menace to freedom, and how suddenly freedom might be lost. As long as freedom endures, free men everywhere, will owe to the people of Britain, a debt they can never repay. So long as Britain continues to maintain the spirit of freedom, and to defend the freedom of other nations, she need never doubt her own pre-eminence throughout the world. So long as Britain continues to share that spirit with the other nations of the Commonwealth, she need never fear for the strength or unity of the Commonwealth.

The voluntary decision by Britain, by Canada, by Australia, by New Zealand, and by South America is a supreme evidence of the unifying force of freedom. This common effort springing from a common source has given a new strength and unity, a new meaning and significance to the British Commonwealth.

No Distinction Between Empire, Commonwealth

Without attempting to distinguish between the terms "British Empire" and "British Commonwealth," but looking rather to the evolution of this association of free nations, may I give to you what I believe to be the secret of its strength and of its unity, and the vision which I cherish of its future.

We, who look forward to larger brotherhoods and more exact standards of social justice, value and cherish the British Empire because it represents, more than any other similar organization, has ever represented, the peaceful co-operation of all sorts of men in all sorts of countries, and because we think it is, in that respect at least, a model of what we hope the whole world will some day become.

This vision, I need scarcely say, is not mine alone. Indeed, the words in which I have sought to portray it are not even my own. They were spoken 37 years ago by one whose fame today is not surpassed in any part of the world. If, indeed, it has been equalled at any time in the

world's history. They are the words of the present Prime Minister of Britain, uttered by Mr. Churchill in 1907. As they continue to reverberate down the years, they bring fresh inspiration to all who owe allegiance to the crown, and increasing hope to mankind. Visions of youth, sometimes, "die away, and fade into the light of common day." They fade not because the vision is ever wholly lost, but because resolution wavers, because determination fails, because of seemingly insuperable obstacles. It has not been so with Mr. Churchill. He has not to ask:

"Whither is fled the visionary gleam? Where is it now, the glory and the dream?"

The glory and the dream! Are they not being realized at this very hour, in the strength and unity of the nations of the Commonwealth?

From time to time, it is suggested that we should seek new methods of communication and consultation.

It is true we have not, sitting in London continuously, a visible Imperial War Cabinet or Council. But we have, what is much more important, though invisible, a continuous conference of the cabinets of the Commonwealth. It is a conference of cabinets which deals, from day to day and, not infrequently, from hour to hour, with policies of common concern. When decisions are taken, they are not the decisions of Prime Ministers, or other individual ministers, meeting apart from their own colleagues, and away from their own countries, they are decisions reached after mature consideration by all members of the cabinet of each country, with a full consciousness of their immediate responsibility to their respective parliaments.

### Danger of Sacrificing Form for Substance

I believe very strongly in close consultation, close co-operation, and effective co-ordination of policies. What more effective means of co-operation could have been found than those which, despite all the handicaps of war, have worked with such complete success; let us, by all means, seek to improve where we can. We cannot be too careful to see that, to our own peoples, the new methods will not appear as an attempt to limit their freedom of decision or, to peoples outside the Commonwealth, as an attempt to establish a separate bloc. Let us beware lest in changing the form, we lose the substance; or, for appearance's sake, sacrifice reality. I am told that, somewhere, over the grave of one who did not know when he was well off, there is the following epitaph: "I was well; I wanted to be better; and here I am."

In the passage I quoted from Mr. Churchill a moment ago, I gave only a part of what he said. He set forth as well the means of realizing his vision of peaceful co-operation.

"Let us," he said, "seek to impress, year after year, upon the British Empire, an inclusive and not an exclusive character." Like the nations of which it is composed, the British Commonwealth has within itself a spirit which is not exclusive. Therein lies its strength. That spirit expressed itself in co-operation. Therein lies the secret of its unity. Co-operation is capable of indefinite expansion. Therein lies the hope of the future.

It is of the utmost importance to the Commonwealth that there should continue to be the greatest possible co-operation among its members. In like manner, it is, I believe, of the utmost importance to the future of mankind that, after the war, there should be the greatest possible co-operation among the nations of the world.

The wartime co-operation of the Commonwealth is not the product of formal institutional unity; it is the result of agreement upon policies of benefit to all. Moreover, they are policies that make an appeal "to all sorts of men in all sorts of countries," provided only they are men of good will.

If, at the close of hostilities, the strength and unity of the Commonwealth are to be maintained, those ends will be achieved, not by policies which are exclusive, but by policies which can be shared with other nations. I am firmly convinced that the war to maintain the unity of the Commonwealth is to base it upon principles which can be extended to all nations. I am equally sure that the only way to maintain world unity is to base it upon principles that can be universally applied. The war has surely convinced all nations, from the smallest to the greatest, that there is no national security to be found in the isolation of any nation or group of nations. The future security of peace-loving

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nations will depend upon the extent and effectiveness of international co-operation.

It has been no less true that it is not the great powers only that are needed to defend, to preserve, and to extend freedom, we should be false to the freedom for which we are fighting if, at any time, we failed to remember that no nation liveth unto itself and that nations, great and small, are members one of another.

But it is not merely the security of nations that is indivisible. Their prosperity also is indivisible. Few would wish to return to the years before the war, when almost every nation sought economic security in economic isolation from its neighbors. What happened was that the economic security of all nations was destroyed. Now is surely the time for the whole world to realize that, just as no nation of itself can ensure its own safety, so no nation or group of nations can in isolation ensure its own prosperity. For my part, I profoundly believe that both the security and the welfare of the nations of the British Commonwealth and, in large measure, the security and welfare of all peace-loving nations, will depend on the capacity of the nations of the Commonwealth to give leadership in the pursuit of policies which, in character, are not exclusive, but inclusive. How far such policies can be successfully pursued will, of course, depend on the extent to which other nations are prepared to pursue similar policies. But let us, at least, wherever that is possible, give the lead that is in the interests of the world as a whole.

Over many years, Canada's relations have been especially friendly with the United States. Throughout the war, we have followed the path of co-operation. We like, also, to think that our country has had some part in bringing about a harmony of sentiment between the United States and the whole British Commonwealth. That harmony is the foundation of the close military collaboration which is proving so fruitful in this war.

It will be a prime object of Canadian policy to work for the maintenance of a fraternal association of the British and American peoples. When peace comes, it is our highest hope that the peoples of the British Commonwealth and the United States will continue to march at each others' side, united more closely than ever. But we equally hope that they will march in a larger company, in which all the nations united today in defence of free-

dom will remain united in the service of mankind.

### Approaching Crisis In European Theatre

We are approaching, in the European theatre, the supreme crisis of this and terrible struggle. In this fateful hour, it is imperative that everything be done to maintain single-minded concentration on the achievement of victory. That is our first obligation. It is our duty to the humble people in all the Allied countries whose patient endurance, unrelenting toil and ready acceptance of the burdens of war have made possible the immense strength in war materials and supplies of the United Nations. It is our duty, above all, to the millions of fighting men who, to defend our freedom and the freedom of mankind, are facing death at sea, on land and in the air.

The assurance of the unfailing support of our sailors, soldiers and airmen, is the supreme objective of the meetings of the Prime Ministers of the nations of the Commonwealth. We have met here, first and foremost, in order to do everything possible, by co-operation and by united action, to assure that support in largest possible measure on all the fighting fronts.

The present war is different from any war in the past. It is different in scale. In any accurate geographical sense, it is the first world war in history. It is a war that is being fought not only on land and at sea but, also in the clouds, miles above the surface of the earth. It is, however, a war that is not confined to the material realm. It is a struggle for the control of men's minds and men's souls. Its outcome will shape the moral destiny of the world. The support of our fighting men, and our debt to all are near and dear to them must extend beyond the theatres of war. It must look beyond the end of hostilities. We owe it to all who bear the heat of the strife; we owe it to those who are crippled and maimed; we owe it to the many homes that are bereaved; we owe it to the memory of those who give their lives, to do all in our power to ensure that their service and their sacrifice shall not have been in vain.

In the past, the sacrifice of human life in war has been commemorated in monuments of stone or bronze. After this war, we must create something more fitting as a memorial. That, I believe, will be found only in securing for others the opportunities of a more abundant life. Already we, of the British Com-

monwealth and Empire, are a community of many nations, of many races and of many tongues. Already we have advanced far in the art of responsible government, in the practice of international co-operation, and in the application of the principle of mutual aid. Surely it is ours to help fashion a new world order in which social security and human welfare will become a part of the inheritance of mankind.

The war has been none of our making. We sought, above all else, the promotion of peace, of understanding and of goodwill. We deplored the extension of war to all part of the world. Yet in the perspective of time, this world encircling danger may prove to have been a blessing in disguise. Only in this way, perhaps, could other nations, as well as our own, have come to see that the interests of mankind are one, and that the claims of humanity are supreme.

Our first duty is to win the war. But to win the war, we must keep the vision of a better future. We must never cease to strive for its fulfillment. No lesser vision will suffice to gain the victory over those who seek world domination and human enslavement. No lesser vision will enable us fittingly to honor the memory of the men and women who are giving their all for freedom and justice.

In the realization of this vision, the governments and people who owe a common allegiance to the Crown may well find the new meaning and significance of the British Commonwealth and Empire. It is for us to make of our association of free British nations, a model of what we hope the whole world will some day become.

### Red Cross Notes

Mrs. C. A. Berry reported that \$31.50 had been raised at a concert in the Marigold hall at a meeting of the Columbia Unit of the Red Cross at the home of Mrs. J. Greenwood, Burnside Road. Mrs. J. McNair Paterson exhibited remade garments for children and described the arrangements for the Re-make Review and tea to be held in the Marigold hall June 28, when small children will model the clothes. Some very dainty little dresses were on view. Ann Deakin donated several of her dolls and stuffed animals to the Red Cross, some of which will be sold. The annual garden party will be held Aug. 2 at the home of Mrs. J. K. Frost, Tulip Avenue.

## Allies' Naval Invasion Chief Has Special Grudge for Hitler



Admiral Sir Bertram Ramsay studies maps, assembles details, plans the gigantic naval operations which will launch the Allied invasion of western Europe.

By TOM WOLF  
LONDON (Special Cable) — Five years ago, a trim, youthful-looking British admiral of 60 was retired at his own request from the Royal Navy, which had been his career for 40 years. He looked forward to spending the rest of his life on his small estate in his native Scotland, doing some of the hunting and riding for which he found precious little time.

Today, the same man, Admiral Sir Bertram Ramsay, K.C.B., has been chosen Supreme Commander of the Allied Navies for the second front. Behind his selection lies one outstanding factor: he probably has had more experience in combined operations than

any other navy officer in the world.

"Bertie Ramsay," as the admiral is known throughout the Royal Navy, got his combined operations baptism early in this century when he took part in the British landing in Somaliland. The major part of such experience, however, was reserved for after his recall from retirement shortly after Munich. As Naval Commander-in-Chief at Dover in 1940, Ramsay was responsible for the evacuation from Dunkerque. For his magnificent direction of this operation, he was made Knight Commander of the Bath. Then, in 1943, as chief staff officer to Admiral Cunningham, Naval Commander-in-Chief in the Mediterranean, Admiral Ramsay planned the largest amphibious operations in history—against Sicily and Italy.

He is one of the least publicized men in the British forces. Essentially a shy person, he is known by comparatively few men even within the services. Many officers who have served with him can contribute a stroke here and a stroke there, but few can paint the full portrait. There are, however, three points on which all who know him are agreed:

First, he is a man who knows exactly what he wants and who knows exactly how to get it. He pays immense attention to detail. Men who worked with him at the time of Dunkerque were constantly amazed at his grasp of small details as well as of main outlines of operation. Based on this knowledge, he made decisions instantly. And hundreds of Allied troops today owe their freedom and possibly their lives to Admiral Ramsay's bold decision to send destroyers back to Dunkerque on the last night, when many thought such a trip was suicide.

**WORKS THROUGH STAFF**

His devotion to detail, his colleagues agree, has been the secret of the success of the combined operations he has planned. Essentially a staff officer today, he picks with infinite care the men who work with him. He expects this staff to produce. In the words of one junior officer, "He doesn't suffer fools gladly." One gathers that Admiral Ramsay is a bad person to cross.

Having chosen his staff, Bertie Ramsay works through it. His subordinates draw up memoranda which he then co-ordinates into an approved plan. He expresses himself with amazing speed and clarity on paper.

The second point on which all Sir Bertram's colleagues agree is that he is a strict disciplinarian. He believes that it won't be done right in battle if it isn't done right every time during practice. Once Admiral Ramsay, then commanding at sea, offered a friend a bottle of champagne if the friend could find two faults with his ship. Personally immaculate, he expects his officers to be likewise.

### A ONE-CLUB GOLFER

Thirdly, all who know him say that he is in incredibly good physical condition. At 65 he is in better shape than men half his age. He loves golf and used to take one club and play a few holes at Dover, even after the golf course had been torn up and criss-crossed with barbed wire as an invasion precaution. Even during the Dunkerque operation he insisted on taking an hour off in the afternoon for a walk.

But Bertie Ramsay's first loves are riding and shooting. He longs to get back to them, and to his country estate in Scotland. This longing bodes no good for Adolf Hitler.

## Red Cross Girls Near Front Surprise Troops in Italy

By TOM WOLF  
SOMEWHERE IN ITALY (Special) — Members of an infantry unit moving to the front from a rest camp about 15 miles behind the lines were recently the most surprised in the United Nations armies.

Just as the trucks were starting, a group of people came running up and threw doughnuts to the men. The throwers were girls — honest-to-goodness, real, alive, lipstick-wearing English-speaking girls. Surprised soldiers' jaws hung open so long that the doughnuts got cold before the mouths closed on them.

The girls were members of the Red Cross Forward Link Clubmobile Unit. They had moved up to serve a division in the rest camp, but the troops moved out before everyone could be served. So the girls moved forward another five miles to take care of rear echelon units.

At the moment, the clubmobile unit is camped in a valley about 10 miles from the actual fighting. But about a dozen shells have fallen in the far end of this very field.

### CARRY THREE TENTS

The clubmobile camp consists of three tents: One for the men,

one for the women and one for the 575-pound doughnut machine and generator. The men make the doughnuts and the girls distribute them in the clubmobiles. The first such unit to be sent across, they have passed out about 1,000,000 doughnuts since landing in Africa.

Where they scared when shells landed nearby? "Actually, we thought it was our own artillery fire," said one nurse. "It was so cold that I wouldn't have got out of bed for anything. I guess it was pretty close though, because one of the enlisted men yelled: 'You better get a German doughnut boy. I'm retreating!'"

But if you want to see women who are used to being under fire, let's move ahead to within five miles of the actual fighting. Here there is a field hospital, and for

10 hours the enemy has been shelling a nearby town. The 10 nurses here are making almost as much noise as the shells. They're mad as wet hens because they've been ordered to move back a few miles until the shelling stops. They want to stay right here on the job.

That incident perfectly illustrates the attitude of these girls in frontline nursing. They like it at the front, and wouldn't change places with anyone in the world.

"For the first time in my life I feel that I'm in the place where I can do the most good," says Lieut. Virginia Brichel, who is a general surgical assistant. "Life here isn't so tough. The hardest part is staying up with the patients all night when you're freezing. You get used to camping

out. We get a kick out of bathing out of helmets. I guess the worst thing is the issue shoes."

The nurses' clothes up here are issue all the way—from long woolen underwear to the twill fatigue outfit of tan jacket and wide-brimmed hat, plus the ankle-high issue boots.

### STRAFED BY ENEMY

"None of the nurses would go home if she got the chance," agrees Lt. LaVerne Farquahar. "There's nothing to be scared about here. Why, this isn't even close. At another camp we were strafed during one operation. Another time a shell fragment hit the oxygen bottles at the head of the table while we were operating. Our main concern is that the patients might get hit."

Otherwise, the only tough thing is that when we get wet we stay wet."

The four surgical nurses are on 24-hour call. The six ward nurses work 12 hours out of every 24. Even if they have time off, there's nowhere to go and nothing to do here.

Lieut. Rita V. Bourke knows why these frontline nurses take it and like it. "It's worth everything," she said, "to hear the reaction of the soldiers when they see you. They're surprised to see you so far forward. One badly wounded boy asked me to stay with him. It gives me courage to see you girls up here," he said. "If it means that much to these brave men, what girl would not take it and like it?"

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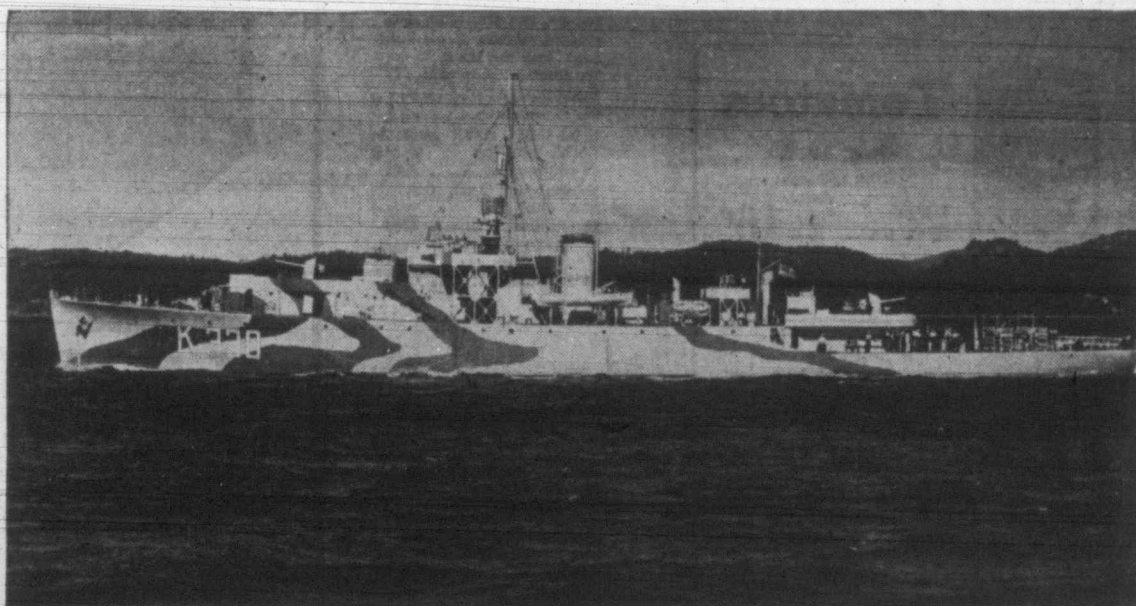


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### Duncan Council

DUNCAN—The Duncan Boys' Club was permitted by City Council, Tuesday, to use the old schoolhouse, and a grant of \$100 was made to them to purchase material for lining the building. An extension of the payment of \$15 per month for a further two months, to the Duncan Dogwoods Chapter, Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire, was given for rent of canteen room. Letters supporting the need for public convenience were received from

the Cowichan Health Centre and the Ladies' Aid of the I.W.O.A. The council has invested \$1,500 of school building reserve funds in Victory Loan.

The Dominion Day Carnival Committee was granted permission to decorate the streets, subject to supervision, Ald. Hitchcock to act on their committee.

On the recommendation of the Light Committee the council decided against repurchasing the lighting and water systems.

The tax by-law for 1944 was finally passed. Accounts totaling \$2,902.23 were passed for payment.

### Lockley Funeral Largely Attended

Impressive tribute to Reeve Alex Lockley of Esquimalt, who died suddenly Sunday, was paid at service Wednesday in St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church, Esquimalt Road.

Flags on the Municipal Hall and in Memorial Park flew at half-mast during the service, attended by a capacity congregation, many people standing on the street outside the church. Five cars were used to carry the flowers to Colwood Burial Park.

Rev. Arthur Bischlager conducted the service. Congregational hymn was "Abide With Me"; and the Esquimalt Boys' Band, in which the reeve had taken an interest, played Bach's "Come, Sweet Death."

Pallbearers were H. G. Collings, C. H. Underwood, C. F. Dawson, J. T. Adams, Councillor Thomas Hadfield, G. Hughes. Honorary pallbearers were members of the Esquimalt Municipal Council, William Barker, Esquimalt Police Commission, Mayor Andrew McGavin, Reeve W. L. Woodhouse of Oak Bay, and Reeve E. C. Warren of Saanich.

Present at the service were W. T. Strath, K.C., M.L.A., representing Premier Hart, who was attending the funeral of Hon. A. Wells Gray in New Westminster; Maj. A. A. Ransom of Esquimalt Fortress, representing Brig. J. F. Preston, M.C.; J. V. Johnson, Alderman John A. Worthington, W. C. Moresby, K.C., Magistrate Henry C. Hall, W. C. Creelman, principal of Lampson Street School; members of the Esquimalt Community Club and many athletic organizations.

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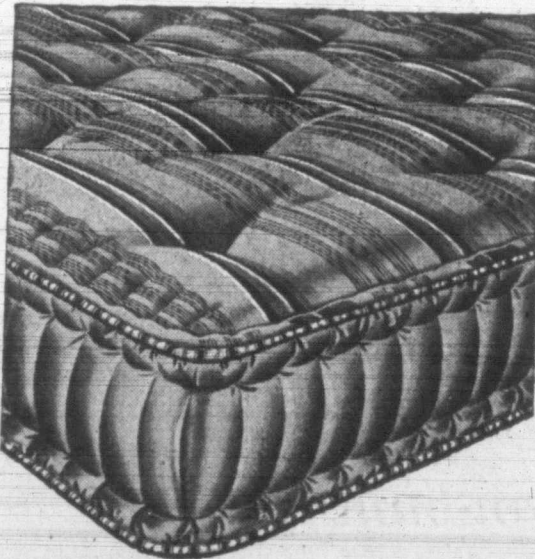
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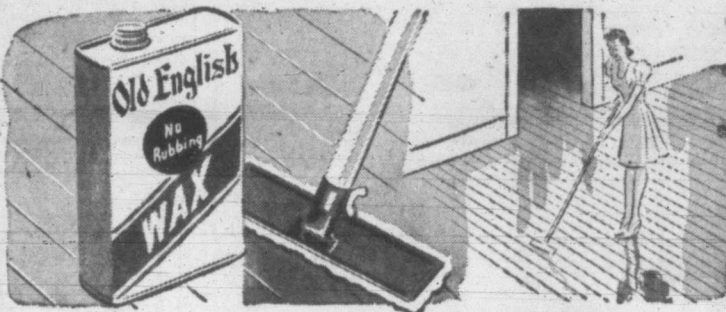


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# Sports Mirror

By ART STOTT

THE PHOENIX, so goes the myth, used to rise from its ashes, all slicked up, as good as new, and more experienced. But it doesn't look as if Victoria's lacrosse hopes can survive the Willows fire with quite the same éclat. It will be definitely a lacrosse this summer, with games at Stevenson's Memorial Park. That, in itself, need not detract materially from the standard of play, but it will add complexities to the gate problem. Preliminary arrangements had been made for home and home games with Vancouver teams this summer. They may still be staged, although it will be harder to sell tickets to the outdoor box.

With that in view, local lacrosse leaders hope to devote major 1944 energies to the development of youngsters with a view to keeping the game alive until they can move indoors again. The junior division, which will have five teams, according to present estimates, should provide lots of activity, while senior play, with the Air Force and the Army fielding squads, may attract outside competition. In addition, the midjets, those 14 and under, should find lots of action.

In recent practices between 40 and 50 players have been turning out. They seem keen and as far as the participating angle of the sport is concerned, it should not suffer unduly even if the players have no roof over their heads.

BOXING appears to be undergoing a local rejuvenation process. Specialized program at the Y.M.C.A. has presented Louis Calian with a crowd of youngsters anxious to learn how to use their fists. Louis is adopting a pretty sound policy in handling the lads. He's teaching them, he says, so they can stay out of fights. Cardinal importance is attached by the Victoria detective, whose work with youngsters has been recognized in various quarters, to control of temper. In his first coaching session to the new group he advised them not to become bullies if they learned how to handle their dukes. The character side is stressed as he puts them through their paces in footwork, hitting and general ringmanship.

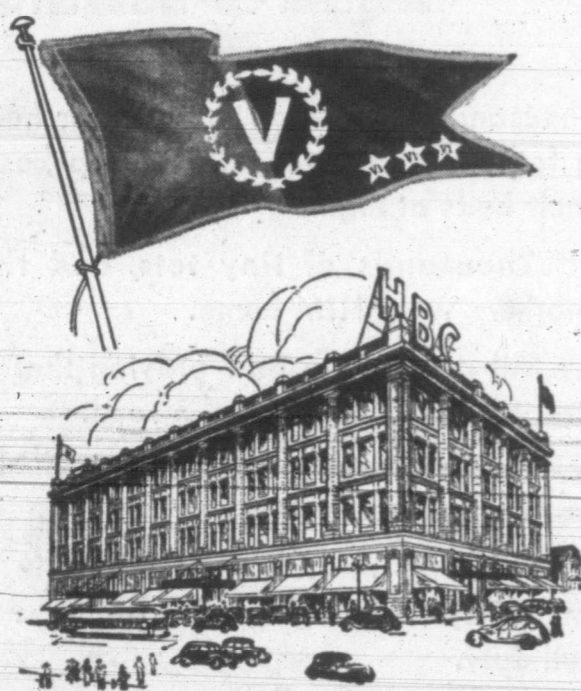
No plans have been made for public bouts at the end of the sessions, but there is a possibility boxers may show in the course of the Y's centenary events.

The policy adopted in the classes for boys should meet with general approval. It should have none of the sickening reactions which arise from a practice sometimes attempted here under which kids are sent into a ring to knock each other's heads off. Certainly the instruction is popular. Well over 50 youngsters are turning out for the junior employed classes Thursday nights and junior school groups Monday afternoon.

ONE OF the great negro leaders of today, Paul Robeson, is the subject of a recent novel by Earl Schenck Miers. The story "Big Ben" deals in some detail with the former athlete's activity in football and lends considerable emphasis to that incident of a few years ago when a deep south team refused to play a northern university if the latter used its negro star. It's fair reading and brings out again the point Paul Gallico made when the discrimination shown in certain sporting circles against the colored man. Actually the subject is a lot bigger than the story—but it doesn't drag and it doesn't call for any great powers of concentration in the reading.

IT APPEARS the Navy will open their baseball season against the Army Saturday without colorful first sacker Weigand. "Wiggy" is due for treatment on a strained shoulder muscle which, according to the underground, will keep him inactive for a couple of weeks at least.

THERE is an air of innocence to football figures here who deny tonight's cup final is the prelude to next season's schedule. This year, they say, there will be a definite break between the end of one season and the start of the next. In former seasons we felt the soccer people were following the procedure of an unsuccessful civic election candidate who declared over the air the night he was defeated, "This is the first speech in my campaign for election next year."



## 'BAY' EMPLOYEES Are Awarded 3-Star VICTORY PENNANT

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## Censor Refused It From Horse's Mouth

SOMEWHERE IN ITALY (AP) This is the sad, sad story of Sid Feder, racing expert. Sid picked the winner of the Kentucky Derby from a battle-front 5,000 miles away from Churchill Downs, but was robbed of his reward by a censor.

Now a war correspondent for the Associated Press, Feder covered so many derbies and other horse races as a sports scribe that the bangtails whinnied when they passed him.

Down in Kentucky last year, Sid bumped into Plain Ben Jones at a refreshment counter. Said Ben: "I'll do no good in the Derby this year, but I have a colt named Pensive who just might win next year."

Last Wednesday Sid came back from the Anzio beachhead and filed a cable to Ted Husing, CBS sports announcer at Churchill Downs. In simple horse language, Sid said:

"Pensive in cakewalk for money, marbles or lira. Regards Bill Matt Buck George Ben."

That being done, Sid went up to the Cassino front for some more war reporting until he heard that Pensive had won the run for the roses at 7 to 1. Briefly he returned to Naples, enveloping congratulations from the clan—and perhaps a bit of spending money.

He found the cable had never been sent.

The censor had refused to relay it on the grounds it was written in code and probably contained some deep military secrets.

## Need Sport

WINNIPEG (CP)—Hockey and other forms of sport should be kept going in wartime, Leo Dandurand, one-time owner of Montreal Canadiens in the National Hockey League, said in an interview here.

Britain has set a fine example in continuing sport during the war, Mr. Dandurand said, "and you can see by attendance figures in sport today that people not only want it but need the relaxation it supplies."

## OAKS BUY SALVO

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP)—The Oakland Baseball Club of the Pacific Coast League Wednesday announced the purchase of pitcher Manuel Salvo and the outright release of the young southpaw hurler, Duke Marlowe. Salvo, a right-handed veteran who was long a star of the Pacific Coast League and was twice in the majors, was purchased from Indianapolis for \$5,000.

## Watch the Curves



Jimmy Hamilton, vice-president and scout for All-American Girls' Professional Softball League, shows Perla Swanson proper batting stance and grip in tryout at Wrigley Field, Chicago.

## V.M.D. Trim Soldiers

V.M.D. soccer eleven took revenge and, at the same time, possession of the Solarium Cup last evening at Macdonald Park, when they trimmed the Army 4-2.

Two minutes' silence were observed in memory of the late Alex Lockley, reeve of Esquimalt, an old player, and one who seldom missed a game.

Army fielded Louis de Costa, at one-time peer of goalkeepers in these parts, who after an absence of three years, still shows that he ranks with the best of them. Though beaten four times, he had no chance with the shots that found the net behind him. In the first half the soldiers had a big margin in play, and had they taken advantage of their chances would have been goals up, instead of in a tie at half-time. In the second half the troops seemed to tire badly, and the "workers" dominated the play.

Apart from tough luck and missed chances, Barnswell, and Leggett gave a four star performance. The veteran Leggett, in particular, rose to the heights, and gave absolutely nothing away the whole game, and in Barnswell, he had a cool and clever partner.

## GOAL APICE

Army went away at the whistle, and V.M.D.'s first escape came when Murray shot and the ball seemed to twist under the bar, and then out, with nobody to finish the effort. Army were outplaying the shipbuilders completely at this stage. Heaps finally scored when he followed up a long Speller drive and side-touched it into the net, for the

## Pacesetters In Major Baseball

By Associated Press

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Batting—Eiten, New York, 435.  
Runs—Epps, St. Louis, 14.  
Runs batted in—Stephens, St. Louis, 16.  
Hits—Myatt, Washington, 26.  
Doubles—Cullenbine, Cleveland, 8.  
Triples—Gutteridge, St. Louis, 3.  
Home runs—Spence, Washington, 5.  
Stolen bases—Stirnweiss, New York, and Kubel, Washington, 5.  
Pitching—Kramer, St. Louis, 5 to 0.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Batting—Walker, Brooklyn, 410.  
Runs—Adams, Philadelphia, Bordagaray, Brooklyn, and Ott, New York, 14.  
Runs batted in—Schultz, Brooklyn, 21.  
Hits—Holmes, Boston, 27.  
Doubles—Musial, St. Louis, and Adams, Philadelphia, 8.  
Triples—Barrett, Pittsburgh, 5.  
Home runs—Schultz, Brooklyn, 4.  
Stolen bases—Lupien, Philadelphia, 4.  
Pitching—Lanier, St. Louis, 4 to 0.

## Hold Cowboy Contests

VANCOUVER (CP)—Objections by the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals that rodeos are a "kind of evil thrill" were rejected by the Vancouver council Tuesday night as permission was given for cowboy contests at a civic-owned park June 14 to 24.

## Horse Racing

BAY MEADOWS—Results of racing here

Wednesday follow:  
First race—Four and a half furlongs:  
Dorothy (Corbett) 43.50 4.30 43.40  
Bar Edythe (Dubois) 14.00 8.00  
Valencia, Tamed (Craig) 3.50  
Dorothy 50  
Also ran: Ocean Moon, Loma.  
Second race—Six furlongs:  
Toprow Baby (Woodhouse) 53.70 52.90 52.80  
Way Out (Gibbs) 3.20 3.20  
Gold Amber (Pederson) 3.50  
Time, 1:13.4. Also ran: Kane Springs, Danne, Spending Miss, Wise Justice, Burridge, Avenue Thorn, Sir Beau, Minko.  
Third race—Six furlongs:  
Bayview Rose (Christen) 52.00 51.70 51.50  
Enlightened Man (Craigie) 4.20 3.00  
Alpheid (Pederson) 3.40  
Time, 1:14.1. Also ran: Vickie Ellen, Poxey Donna, Ter Belle, Navy Test, Odson, Last, Clara Rae, Craslin, Happy Eva, Dina Park.  
Fourth race—Six furlongs:  
Buckley (Briggs) 52.00 51.70 51.50  
Roughage (Zutell) 4.50 3.80  
Clayton Wren (Lewinsky) 3.50 3.50  
Time, 1:12.4-5. Also ran: Goal To Go, Gold Bewithus, Party Spirit, Bonita, Ben Martin, Invoice, Jungle Dick, Iron Mike, Zeboid.  
Fifth race—Six furlongs:  
Mulligatawey (Feder) 52.70 51.10 51.10  
Curtie (Dubois) 6.70 3.30  
Two Ton Tony (Craig) 3.00  
Time, 1:12.4-5. Also ran: Gallant Spirit, Prince Ernest (Gray) 3.20 2.80  
Civil Code (Shelhamer) 3.50  
Kind Six Crest, Singing Sabin.  
Seventh race—Mile and a sixteenth:  
Can Jones (Woodhouse) 56.50 53.30 52.70  
Patty Manah (Dye) 4.80 3.40  
Dorby Doc (Koyk) 3.40  
Time, 1:47.1-5. Also ran: Happy Klayam and Matt's Pride.  
Eighth race—Mile and a sixteenth:  
Indian Road (Woodhouse) 56.70 52.50 52.50  
Fighting Woods (Thane) 3.00 2.50  
Coventry (Christen) 3.50  
Time, 1:47.2-5. Also ran: Race Track, Alaskan, Sherry Flip, Mission Step.

## FASTBALL WORKOUTS

Tucker's Senior A fastball club will hold a workout Friday at 6:30 at Central Park to which all players interested in making the team are invited. Tonight, Bryant's Aces, under 18 team, will practice at the same park at 6:30.

Estimates of the number of different kinds of insects in the world range from 600,000 upward.

## Montreal, Newark Puzzled Victims Of No-Stall Rule

TORONTO (CP)—The International League's new anti-stalling rule had its first test in Montreal the other day, and left Montreal Royals and Newark Bears wondering just where they fit in the baseball standings. The game was called at the end of the eighth inning with Royals ahead, but the final decision won't be made until that extra inning is played next time Newark comes around the mountain.

However, Royals have been given credit in the standings for the win and Bears marked with a loss in the meanwhile, but a few quick runs could reverse that when the teams tangle again.

League President Frank Shaughnessy thinks the new rule will prevent the players, especially the leading team, from loafing on the job and should mean faster, better games.

The teams must resume the game where they left off, with as few changes in the lineup as possible. Replacements will be allowed if any players have been sold or traded before the ninth inning is played, but no player who had been removed from the game in the first run-off may be fielded again, Shaughnessy has ruled.

## BARGAIN BASEMENT TROUBLE

A. G. (Scotty) Kennedy, owner of the famous 37-cent filly, Omar's gift, bemoans the scarcity of racehorse trainers. Scotty became an owner in the spring of 1942 while watching an early-morning workout of two-year-olds at Jim Speers' Whittier Park stock farm near Winnipeg. Kennedy admired the horses and Speers offered him his pick of the bunch for what change he had in his pocket, 37 cents as it happened. He chose Omar's Gift, which promptly won the \$2,000 Added Winnipeg Futurity that year.

Scotty's a Canadian army private in training at Woodstock, Ont., now and can't find anyone to train his mare, so the gift won't be racing this season. She's being bred at Winnipeg.

## INCIDENTALLY

Interro, 1905 winner of the King's Plate, was a lusty beer tippler. Jim (Toronto Globe and Mail) Coleman recalls. The sagacious horse struck up an acquaintance with an attendant at a hotel along his exercising road near Woodbine track in Toronto and stopped every morning for his bucket of suds. He always became very mellow and pleasant after such a chore, Jim reports.

Tentative arrangements are being made by the New Orleans Jax, twice North American girls' softball champions, to visit Vancouver for an exhibition game or series.

Buck Eaton, star pitcher with Renfrew who used to wow Edmonton fans, is a pilot officer with the R.C.A.F. at Glace Bay, N.S., now. Flt. Lt. Johnny Tett, D.F.C., former Canadian diving champion, is stationed at Montreal.

## Pensive, Platter Duel in Preakness

BALTIMORE (AP)—Most of the three-year-old stakes are still to be run, but the championship of the division is likely to be decided over Pimlico's ancient racing strip Saturday when Pensive, the Kentucky Derby winner, tangles with Platter in the richest of the 54 runnings of the Preakness.

Five others, four of whom trailed Pensive at Churchill Downs, also are expected to accept the issue for the mile-and-a-half race. But the presence of George D. Widener's Platter gives the turf classic its championship angle.

While Pensive was coming from away back to win the Derby last Saturday, Platter was establishing himself as a title contender by running second to the speedy Rodney Stone in a six-furlong dash at New York. It was the 1944 debut for the son of Pilate.

Pensive and Platter finished all square in two clashes as two-year-olds. The Widener colt was third and Pensive fourth behind Occup in the Belmont Futurity, while in the Champagne, won by Pukka Gin, the Derby winner wound up third and Platter fifth.

## Night Ball Packs In Crowds, Walters Cinches Own Game

Night baseball's first 1944 turnout, totaling 58,078 for three games were taken today as proof that the game is strictly an after-dark and Sunday business in wartime.

Pittsburgh's crowd of 23,011 Wednesday night more than doubled the largest previous throng on opening day, and Washington attracted 19,756 customers with 15,311 present at Cincinnati.

The five day games, featuring similar openings of inter-sectional series, drew only 19,414, or a per game average of 3,883, as compared to 19,359 under the arcs.

Bucky Walters made sure his 200th start for Cincinnati would be on the right side of the book by driving in Eddie Miller to break a 2-2 tie in the ninth.

Jim Russell's double scoring Johnny Barrett and Frank Zak was the big blow in Pittsburgh's three-run spurt in the eighth for a 4 to 2 nod over Boston.

## WASHINGTON MOVES UP

Johnny Niggeling's knuckler was too tough for St. Louis as Washington triumphed, 5 to 1, and moved within a game of the second-place Yankees and 2½ games of the leading Browns. The Senators lost catcher Rick Ferrell, who split his thumb in the second.

In the afternoon the Yankees' six-game winning streak was snapped by Detroit, 4 to 2, as Paul (Dizzy) Trout scattered seven safeties and weighed in with three singles in the Tigers' total of 13 off Esnie Bonham.

Luke Hamlin broke into the victory column with a neat five-hit shutout job against Chicago as the A's hammered out 16 blows for a 9 to 0 verdict.

## 200TH VICTORY

Mel Harder hit the 200th victory mark of his major league career, although Speck Kileman had to relieve in the eighth of a 5 to 4 triumph over Cleveland.

Morton Cooper found his stuff again and pitched the Cardinals to a 4 to 2 edge over Brooklyn's Whit Wyatt and the Phils helped Chicago drop their 13th straight as Al Gerheuser southpawed a seven-hitter.

## COAST LEAGUE

The Pacific Coast baseball league tightened up Wednesday night with only three games separating the first four teams, as Seattle defeated the San Francisco Seals, 4 to 3, to boost their third place to within three games of the league leaders.

Meanwhile, the rambling Hollywood Stars chalked up their eighth win in a row at the expense of Portland, 8 to 5. The victory gave the Stars a second-place tie along with the Beavers, just a game ahead of Seattle.

Seattle's star righthander, Joe Demoran, limited the Seals to eight hits and blanked them in all but the sixth inning, besides batting in one run himself in Wednesday night's victory.

At Portland, the Stars went right to work, blasting out nine hits and six runs in the first three innings to sew up the game.

In the south, Los Angeles took both ends of a doubleheader, by identical scores of 4 to 2, from San Diego, and Oakland won a 12-inning 7-to-6 battle with Sacramento when Acorn Manager Dolph Camilli doubled with one aboard in the final frame.

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

Brooklyn St. Louis 4 12 0  
Batteries—Wyatt, Chapman (7) and Esnie, M. Cooper and C. Dea.  
Chicago Philadelphia 1 7 2  
Batteries—Ciechauski and Finley; Platter, Brice (4), Alderson (7), Burrows (6) and Krieter.  
Pittsburgh Boston 2 8 1  
Batteries—Javery, Barrett (4) and Klutze, Shrivens, Cuccurullo (9) and Lopez.  
New York Cincinnati 2 10 2  
Batteries—Volselle and Lombardi; Walters and Mueller.  
AMERICAN LEAGUE  
Detroit New York 4 12 0  
Batteries—Trout and Switz; Bonham and Henneley.  
Cleveland Boston 5 11 2  
Batteries—Harder, Kileman (8) and Syle (9) and Wagner.  
Sue: Woods, Hausmann (6), Judd (6), Chicago 9 15 2  
Philadelphia Batteries—Grove, Hanak (7) and Turner, Hamlin and Hayes.  
St. Louis Washington 1 8 0  
Batteries—Putter, Shirley (6), Zabriskie.

## Baseball Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
St. Louis	13	3	.722
New York	9	5	.643
Washington	8	7	.533
Cleveland	9	9	.500
Chicago	8	9	.471
Philadelphia	7	9	.438
Boston	6	10	.375
Detroit	6	12	.333

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Cincinnati	8	6	.569
Pittsburgh	7	6	.533
Brooklyn	8	8	.500
New York	8	9	.471
Boston	7	11	.385
Chicago	7	12	.364

COAST LEAGUE			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
San Francisco	18	3	.857
Portland	18	13	.581
Hollywood	18	13	.581
Seattle	18	13	.581
Los Angeles	16	15	.516
San Diego	16	18	.471
Oakland	13	20	.394
Sacramento	8	22	.267

## Baseball Slips In U.S. Schools

By HUGH FULLERTON JR. NEW YORK (AP)—The baseball committee that looked into the high school situation learned that approximately 96 per cent of the high schools in the United States support basketball teams but only 32 per cent participate in baseball. . . . and since the United States entered the war baseball decreased 14 per cent, while basketball showed an increase.

## INCONSISTENT

There was considerable stir among the agriculturists around Rumson, N.J., the other day when the news came out of the birth of twin calves in Mike Jacobs' barn. . . . It was the first such event in the vicinity in 35 years, but Uncle Mike wasn't unduly elated. "They were both bulls," he complained. "I'd have given \$50 if they had been heifers." The assumption is that Mike thinks his publicity department can supply enough bull.

## A ROOKIE A DAY

Roland (Frenchy) Gladu, Boston Braves, third baseman; the only player who came straight from England to land a big league job. . . . French broke in with Del Bissonnette's Quebec team in the provincial league in 1939, shifted over to Quebec's Canadian-American league in 1941 and hit well over .300 during those three years. . . . Then he took a road trip to England with the Canadian army and was discharged just in time to report for spring training. In the season opener he speared a giant liner then smacked a triple for his first hit. . . . The Braves lost but the fans gave Frenchy the Gladu hand.

## TIGERS NOW

BROOKLYN (AP)—The Brooklyn Dodgers of the National Football League, sometimes confused with the Brooklyn Dodgers of the National Baseball League, will be known in the future as the Brooklyn Tigers, general manager Tom Gallery said.

(A) and Mancuso, Schultz, Niggeling and Ferrell, Guerra.

Hollywood 8 12 2  
Portland 18 10 2  
Batteries—Mishak and Hill; Pierce, Friesmeyer (2), Mosser (6) and Adams.  
First Game  
San Diego 2 8 3  
Batteries—Brillheart, Valenzuela (7) and Ballester, Conger and Barni.  
Second Game  
San Diego 5 8 1  
Los Angeles 6 7 0  
Batteries—Merkle and Salkeld; Mallory, Prim (7) and Brigg.  
Seattle 3 8 0  
Batteries—Harrell, Pierce (3) and Ogdowski; Demoran and Barrie.  
Oakland 6 13 2  
Batteries—Legault, Powers (3) and Ross; Kietze, Campbell (4), Phillips (9) and Raimondi.

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## School Bible Study To Start Next Term

Preparations for Bible reading in Victoria schools were discussed Wednesday night by the City School Board which accepted with thanks the offer of the Gideon Society to provide Bibles without cost for use in the classrooms.

Under amendment of the School Act passed at the last session of the Legislature, reading of selected scripture passages without teacher comment was authorized for the next term in all schools. Provision will be made to permit conscientious objectors to the Bible reading to leave the classroom during the period.

Students from grades 8 to 11 inclusive, whose school record has been satisfactory to date, will be released from Victoria schools on June 1 to work on farms.

Pupils who will be six years of age next Dec. 31 may register during June to attend city schools next September. Pre-primary students—those who will be five by Dec. 13—may register at the same time.

Children starting school for the first time will be examined the last week in June and the last week in August by the school dentist. All school pupils will be given a dental examination before the term ends so that dental work may proceed during the summer vacation.

General health of pupils was good, Trustee F. G. Mulliner said in the education report for April. Attendance, he said, was satisfactory. Enrollment was 4,756, an increase of 136 over April, 1943.

Teachers called for military service may be deferred on request of the board if it can be shown that the teacher can not be replaced, Mr. Mulliner said.

The board approved exchange of teachers with Ontario and Saskatchewan. The exchange teachers remain in the employ of their home school board and receive their regular wages. The teachers must pay traveling costs.

### POSTWAR STUDY

Postwar problems will be studied in city schools with "Canada and the Building of the Peace," as a text book. Purchase of six copies of the text was approved.

Cafeteria deficits of \$69.70 at the High School and \$24.98 at the Junior High during April were reported.

Offer of W. R. Menzies & Co. of \$482 for installation of a boiler and temperature control at the High School was accepted.

With the number of bicycles used by students reported to be increasing rapidly, erection of a shed for 60 cycles at Central Junior High School was approved.

The Y.M.C.A. was granted use of the rugby field at Victoria High School for field and track training during the summer. The Y.W.C.A. will use the Sir James Douglas School auditorium on Saturday nights during July and August for recreation for 'teen age boys and girls.

Request of E. W. Robinson, pastor of the Glad Tidings Tabernacle, to use Burnside School auditorium for a Monday evening service for children was tabled for future discussion.

## Allies Improve Positions Around India Frontier

KANDY, Ceylon (CP)—Allied troops have improved their positions around the India frontier base of Komima, while in northern Burma, Chinese forces have occupied two more villages in their advance on Mogaung and Myitkyina, Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten's headquarters, announced today.

Allied hill positions also have been strengthened in the Arakan sector of western Burma, the announcement said.

The bulletin estimated Allied troops of the 4th Corps had slain at least 6,100 Japanese during operations in the last two months.

Allied planes are providing strong support for ground forces on all fronts, the communique said, and reported that dive bombers were operating "in great strength" over the Kohima, Imphal and Kalewa areas.

Long-range fighters were credited with destroying five enemy fighters on the ground in attacks on Japanese airfields at Aungmyan and Kangaung, Burma. Two other Japanese planes probably were destroyed, the communique said.

Bulgaria is reported to have shale deposits rich in petroleum in mountainous areas from which production is expected soon.



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## Navy Yard Workers Form Medical Group

Navy Yard Employees' Health Association of Victoria has been registered at the Parliament Buildings under the Societies Act. The society will give medical and surgical care, hospitalization, drugs and medicine to its members on a non-profit and voluntary basis.

A. J. Helmcken is secretary and directors are Donald A. Stevens, 3375 Connorton Lane; Percy Irving Hope, 962 Tattersall Drive; Charles Wm. Mockridge, 1521 Burton; George R. Laird, 2633 Orchard; John Esler, 2811 Prior; Frank Cameron McPherson, 2832 Parkview Drive; Walter Gittens, 555 Niagara; Oliver Beecher, 2387 Estevan, and Reginald Owen, 1127 Bay.

Also registered under the Societies Act were Allied Officers' Auxiliary, Vancouver; North Shore Lutheran Church, North Vancouver, while registered under the Co-operative Act were Orchard Co-operative Association, Kelowna and Co-workers Coal Co-operative Society, Vancouver.

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## Alberta Official Studies B.C. Way

H. P. Brownlee, provincial statistician of Alberta, is in Victoria for a few days, studying methods of the B.C. Trade and Industry Department's bureau of economics and statistics.

"We are endeavoring to plan ways to improve inter-provincial trade statistics," Neil Perry, director of the B.C. bureau, said today, adding he may go to Edmonton later to continue the study.

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## City Compliments Sent to Sevastopol

Expressions of congratulation and gratification were wired to the Russian government and municipal officers of the city of Sevastopol today by the Victoria City Council.

Russian flags were ordered flown in front of the City Hall by Mayor Andrew McGavin, while schoolchildren of all Greater Victoria schools were given the afternoon off in connection with the festivities.

The Esquimalt Garrison Band starting at 2:30 played at the City Hall to mark the liberation of the Russian Black Sea port and bastion which had been in the Nazi hands since July 2, 1942. The congratulations were ordered sent through the Secretary of State's office in Ottawa on motion of Ald. W. L. Morgan at the City Council meeting today.

Victoria for the purpose of contributions to the Aid to Russian Fund, "adopted" Sevastopol some months ago. Celebrations to mark the recapture had been planned for several months pending the liberation of the city.

Ald. F. A. Willis asked at the council meeting what effort was being made to help liberated Sevastopol.

Mayor McGavin said a great effort was being made and a lot of money would be sent from Victoria to the city now that it was freed of the Nazis.

## Salary Communications

Salary increases for Victoria school teachers had apparently been dropped by the city school board today following a meeting Wednesday night at which the board ordered received and filed communications on the question from the city clerk and teachers' organizations.

Because teachers and the board's office staff are on a salary schedule, the City Council did not include them in the 6 per cent wage increase granted other city employees.

The board paid tribute Wednesday night to the work of the late Reeve Alexander Lockley, as chairman of the Esquimalt School Board.

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## Victoria Forms Canadian-Soviet Friendship Group

A Victoria branch of the National Council for Canadian-Soviet Friendship, which was founded in June, 1943, for the purpose of strengthening friendly relations between Canada and the Soviet Union, was organized at a meeting of the Canadian Aid to Russia Fund, Wednesday, under the chairmanship of Bishop H. E. Sexton.

C. K. Morison outlined progress made by Vancouver in the formation of their branch, which will be headed by Leon Ladner as chairman. Among suggestions made at the organizational meeting of the Victoria group, was the holding of a public meeting with a guest speaker.

National Council for Canadian-Soviet Friendship was founded at a rally, attended by more than 15,000 in the Maple Leaf Gardens in Toronto, under chairmanship of Prime Minister Mackenzie King and has been sponsored by the leaders of the Liberal, Progressive Conservative and C.C.F. parties. It was through the efforts of the National Council, that more than 30 Canadian cities have adopted Soviet communities in liberated areas for the purpose of assisting in their restoration.

Local branches of the National Council have been established in 18 Canadian communities, and one of the aims of the council is to educate the Canadian people, to the need for better understanding and friendly relations as essential to victory in the present war against the Axis powers and to the establishment of world-wide democracy and enduring peace.

## City Money By-laws Finally Passed

The City Council at a 15-minute special session today reconsidered, adopted and finally passed the four money by-laws to provide revenue to carry on city services during 1944.

The expenditure by-law was the only one not unanimously passed. Ald. B. J. Gadsden voted in the negative because the bill did not contain a 10 per cent salary increase for the city police department. Ald. Gadsden is a member of the police commission.

Estimated gross expenditure for 1944 was \$2,671,594. The tax by-law formally set the rate at 37 mills. Separate by-laws set the boulevard tax rate at 1 cent per square foot of boulevard on which property fronts, while the cluster light tax was put at 5 cents per foot frontage.

Letters from the Carpenters' Union local and the Vancouver Island Joint Labor Conference, urging the city, rather than private interests, erect an arena, were referred to the next council meeting on motion of Ald. Archie Willis.

The conference had suggested taxes from the Empress Hotel be set aside for building the arena. Charges of unsanitary conditions in Victoria cafes, made by the labor conference, were referred to the health committee. A report on sanitation in restaurants made for the City Council last year will be sent to the conference.

Protest of the Civic Employees' Federation of Greater Victoria that 6 per cent salary increase had not been provided to all city employees was received and filed.

Victoria Chapter of Credit Union will hold a round table discussion in St. Andrew's Cathedral parish hall, Friday at 8, on the duties of treasurers. Officers and members of all credit unions are invited to attend.

## SIX FOR VIC WEST

Making allowance for less density in Victoria West population, he suggested an objective of six play-lots as a partial solution of the community's need. Similarly, he envisaged a need for such development existed in James Bay and other areas close to town.

A play-lot required little work, he said, noting equipment would be kept to a minimum.

"In view of the fact there are a few lots left in some districts, I recommend that 50 lots suitably located throughout the city be reserved for play purposes at once," he said. "The capital cost of preparing them would involve about \$300 each or \$15,000 for the 50 lots, and they could be kept up by regular servicing done by two men and a truck for approximately \$3,800 a year. While the immediate development of this program may be out of the question at the present time, the selection and reservation of suitable land for postwar development should be undertaken at once," he said.

GREATER VICTORIA AIR CADETS Weekly routine orders. Parade orders: Fall-in by squadrons on squadron markers at 10:15 hours on west field, Victoria High School, May 12. Dress, uniform. Orderly officer, AC. FO. C. C. orderly sergeant, AC. Sgt. R. Bayne; orderly corporal, AC. Cpl. D. Chapman.

Harry P. Scott, camp accountant at Pioneer Timber Company, Port McNeill, Vancouver Island, has been appointed by order-in-council a notary public in place of Thomas A. Kennedy.



Phil L. James Smith (above) and FO. C. F. Green, Port Alberni, are among a group of R.C.A.F. repatriates of war arriving home this week-end. Smith is the youngest son of John Smith, 234 Gorge Road West. His wife, Dorothy, is a commissioned officer in the R.C.A.F. (W.D.) at Ottawa. After receiving his B.A. at U.B.C., Smith taught at Harewood and Esquimalt High Schools and studied navigation at Esquimalt Naval School before joining the R.C.A.F. to teach navigation for two years in Alberta. He has been overseas since last November as navigation instructor.

## 50 Play-Lot Plan Presented to City For Park Needs

Development of 50 play-lots or small playgrounds on planned lines as a substitute for major parks in areas which are now seeking them, is recommended by the city parks committee by H. W. Warren, city parks superintendent.

At the committee's meeting Wednesday, Mr. Warren laid his proposals before the aldermen in response to queries from Victoria West for a more centrally located park. Copies of his letter were sent to the P.T.A. group of that district as well as to the Victoria and District Parent-Teacher Council.

Mr. Warren acknowledged the justice of Victoria West requests for a central area, but reported a survey had disclosed sites east of Craigflower, in the Verne Terrace district, the block bounded by Alston, Catherine, Langford and Edwards, the region south of Griffiths Street, that west of McCaskill and the property south of the school grounds unsuitable. Either they were too small, too rocky or too steeply graded, he said.

He suggested that private industry contributed, both through its tax to the government and the money it spent privately to protect its lands, a total of 55 per cent of the cost of fire protection in the province, while holding but 3.2 per cent of the land, receiving protection.

"I would not agree wholly in principle with that compilation," said Mr. Orchard.

He suggested that private industry and the government get together and review the whole matter of the forest protection tax, when queried by Mr. Clearhue as to how much he felt the government should contribute before asking private industry for more.

Mr. Justice Sloan commented that the government had unlimited financial liability once a fire was out of hand.

VERSATILES Concert Party will entertain at the Three Services Canteen, Broad Street, tonight at 8.

Hon. H. G. T. Perry, Minister of Education, returned here today after a visit to his home constituency of Fort George.

Rehabilitation matters, Canadian Real Estate Association, and sales to servicemen will be discussed by the Real Estate Board at a meeting at Spencer's dining room, Friday at 12:30.

An exhibition of modern Indian arts and crafts will be held in the Provincial Museum next Monday under the auspices of the Society for the Furtherance of B.C. Indian Arts and Crafts. The exhibition will be opened by Dr. G. Clifford Carl at 4.

Complaint of damage being continually done to Baptist churches at Fernwood Road and Gladstone Avenue and Shelburne Street and Kings Road were made to city police yesterday afternoon by Rev. W. L. McKay, 1221 Richardson Street.

City firemen were called out yesterday afternoon when the side of a house at 1034 Quadra caught fire. The blaze was brought under control in half an hour. A later call in the afternoon sent firemen out to a small fire on a verandah at 574 Bay Street.

Dr. Arthur Collingwood, F.R.C.O., and Dean of Music at the University of Saskatchewan, who is the examiner for Trinity College of Music in London, will speak Saturday evening in the Empress Hotel at the Victoria Music Teachers' Association meeting.

## Severance Tax On E. & N. Grant Enlivens Inquiry

Request by H. W. Davey, commission counsel, for submission of information on the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway grant, in order to test the propriety of a possible severance tax on timber cut by private owners on the grant, caused a flurry of excitement in the last minutes of this morning's hearing of the forest inquiry.

J. E. McMullen, counsel for the E. & N., told Mr. Justice Gordon McG. Sloan, royal commissioner, that Mr. Davey had requested information on what lands had been sold annually by the E. & N. since the land grant was made. Commission counsel wished also to know what timber was on the lands and what money realized from sales since the land grant was made to the company.

At the adjournment of the hearing, Mr. Justice Sloan stated he would hand down a decision before the inquiry met again, for its next session, which is expected to be about June 1.

"I can't see what value a statement of that kind can be," Mr. McMullen said in referring to Mr. Davey's request. "It would involve weeks of work from a very limited staff."

When he mentioned the word "private" with regards to the affairs of E. & N. sales, Mr. Davey countered that the affairs of the railway ceased to be private even on the narrow issue of fire protection.

"The whole of the E. & N. Railway grant is a matter of public concern," Mr. Davey said. "It is my opinion that a severance tax can be imposed on timber cut by private owners on E. & N. lands."

## NOT RETROACTIVE

Information on the grant, he felt was necessary to the forest inquiry, in order to test the propriety of a severance tax. Evidence may disclose that if timber cut in the grant can be made to pay a contribution to the provincial treasury in comparison with other forms of tenure, it should be done, Mr. Davey maintained.

When Mr. Justice Sloan asked commission counsel if he were suggesting such a tax should be retroactive, the latter said he felt such a move would be impractical.

Earlier, J. B. Clearhue, K.C., counsel for the H. R. MacMillan Export Company and Canadian Lumber Company, cross-examined C. D. Orchard, chief forester for the province, on evidence regarding the forest protection tax.

He suggested that private industry contributed, both through its tax to the government and the money it spent privately to protect its lands, a total of 55 per cent of the cost of fire protection in the province, while holding but 3.2 per cent of the land, receiving protection.

"I would not agree wholly in principle with that compilation," said Mr. Orchard.

He suggested that private industry and the government get together and review the whole matter of the forest protection tax, when queried by Mr. Clearhue as to how much he felt the government should contribute before asking private industry for more.

Mr. Justice Sloan commented that the government had unlimited financial liability once a fire was out of hand.

## TOWN TOPICS

Versatiles Concert Party will entertain at the Three Services Canteen, Broad Street, tonight at 8.

Hon. H. G. T. Perry, Minister of Education, returned here today after a visit to his home constituency of Fort George.

Rehabilitation matters, Canadian Real Estate Association, and sales to servicemen will be discussed by the Real Estate Board at a meeting at Spencer's dining room, Friday at 12:30.

An exhibition of modern Indian arts and crafts will be held in the Provincial Museum next Monday under the auspices of the Society for the Furtherance of B.C. Indian Arts and Crafts. The exhibition will be opened by Dr. G. Clifford Carl at 4.

Complaint of damage being continually done to Baptist churches at Fernwood Road and Gladstone Avenue and Shelburne Street and Kings Road were made to city police yesterday afternoon by Rev. W. L. McKay, 1221 Richardson Street.

City firemen were called out yesterday afternoon when the side of a house at 1034 Quadra caught fire. The blaze was brought under control in half an hour. A later call in the afternoon sent firemen out to a small fire on a verandah at 574 Bay Street.

Dr. Arthur Collingwood, F.R.C.O., and Dean of Music at the University of Saskatchewan, who is the examiner for Trinity College of Music in London, will speak Saturday evening in the Empress Hotel at the Victoria Music Teachers' Association meeting.

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## Budapest Pounded By Bombers From Italian Bases

NAPLES (AP)—Allied bombers from Italian bases swept into Hungary Wednesday night and attacked Budapest, rounding out about 2,000 sorties by the Mediterranean Allied air forces during the day and night; it was announced today.

The night attack followed a daylight raid by medium forces of U.S. heavy bombers against a German aircraft factory at Wiener Neustadt, in Austria, near Vienna, and against the Yugoslav railway centre of Knin, the communists said.

Thirty-three Allied planes were reported missing from all the operations. At least 13 enemy aircraft were destroyed by escorting fighters, but the communists said "bomber claims have not been evaluated."

The Berlin radio claimed 51 Allied planes were destroyed, 41 of them heavy bombers, in the "area of the eastern Alps, including Wiener Neustadt."

The Budapest attack was executed by both heavy and medium bombers.

In other daylight raids medium bombers kept up their attacks on bridges and viaducts on the main railway line between Rome and Florence, while fighter-bombers and light bombers hit similar targets south of the Italian capital.

MEET FIGHTERS In attacking the Wiener Neustadt aircraft factory and an airfield near Vienna, a force of between 250 and 500 heavy bombers fought their way through approximately 120 enemy fighters near the target area.

Escorting fighters knocked down 11 of the Germans, it was officially announced, while the bombers bagged an additional number not immediately totaled. Many German planes also were destroyed aground on the Vienna airfield, it was announced.

Wilby in City Court As Defence Witness

In a successful attempt to clear himself of a charge of drunkenness, a man in city police court today called a defence witness, Ralph M. Wilby, an elderly man with an Irish brogue.

Wilby, who remains in the city lock-up in the custody of New York officials pending extradition proceedings on 17 grand larceny charges against him in the U.S., testified the accused had smelt of liquor but had walked and talked quite normally when he had been brought into the city lock-up.

The elderly man said, in his opinion, the defendant was not drunk. When asked by C. L. Harrison, city prosecutor, if he were not also in on a similar charge, the witness declared he was but, unlike the accused, he said proudly, he was "rale drunk" when the police brought him in. Grins spread around the court room, and shortly after, the charge against the accused was dismissed, Wilby and the elderly man having been returned to the lock-up.

In Police Court

Karl A. Ray, Westholme Hotel, was fined \$100 and \$250 costs in police court today for failing to display maximum rate cards in his hotel in accordance with V.P.T.B. regulations. J. B. Clearhue, K.C., prosecuting, asked that a further charge of making false statements when filing a report in accordance with V.P.T.B. regulations be withdrawn.

The case of B. John, Hindu, charged with illegal possession of a drug, was remanded one week.

Three Indians, appearing on drunk charges, were fined \$10

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Permits for new houses were issued by the city building inspector's office Wednesday to James R. Johnson, 1754 Haultain, for a five-room, \$3,600 home at 1766 Haultain; Everett Simpson, 2727 Prior, for a five-room \$4,000 house at 2830 Prior; and Thomas Michell, 2445 Oregon, who will build a four-room \$3,500 home at 1334 Gladstone.

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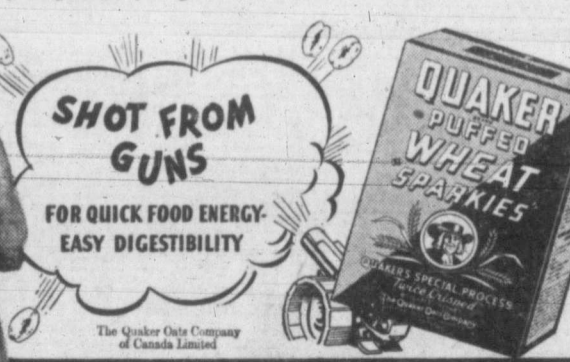
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Basil Rathbone appears as Holmes and Nigel Bruce has the role of Dr. Watson in the absorbing crime picture.

The two notables are co-starring at the head of a large cast which features Hillary Brooke, Milburn

Perfectly attuned to the times, Faroum's "Standing Room Only" which opened today at the Atlas Theatre scored a marked success in its harmless lampooning of the present Washington rooming situation.

Co-starring Paulette Goddard and Fred MacMurray as a pair forced-to take jobs as cook and butler in the nation's capital in order to get room and board, the fun-poking at the maid situation

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Miss Jean Browne of Toronto, national director of Junior Red Cross, will be present. Two delegates are being sent from all enrolled branches of Junior Red Cross from Grades 5 to 13, inclusive, on lower Vancouver Island. Teachers from each school represented will also

be present. Each school representative will give a report on the Red Cross activities carried on in their school, to give further ideas to other schools.

A group of Victoria High School students under teacher-director Miss Isabel O. Thomas attended a Vancouver rally held Monday. It was attended by Her Royal Highness Princess Alice and Miss Browne. Students from lower Vancouver Island were: Norma Matthews, Victoria High School; Loris Brynjolfsson, Oak Bay High School; Ronald Gordon, Central Junior High, and Velma Rust, Jordan River. Special mention was given Jordan River School for raising over \$300 from 19 pupils.

Girls of Victoria High School heard Miss Casplan of the Department of Agriculture in Ottawa speak on canning Wednesday morning. A moving picture was shown to improve the students' knowledge of canning and to further the interest of canning in the home.

## Hon. A. Wells Gray Goes to Last Rest

NEW WESTMINSTER (CP)—Funeral service was held here Wednesday for the late Hon. A. Wells Gray. Interment was in the family plot in Fraser cemetery.

Premier Hart and other members of the provincial cabinet attended the service. Rev. Thomas Murphy officiated at ceremonies in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

Mr. Gray, British Columbia Minister of Lands, died Sunday in Victoria.

## Uncle Ray

**MOST PEOPLE IN URUGUAY ARE OF PURE WHITE BLOOD**  
Anyone who wants to find the smallest republic in the New World will have to look for it in Central America. You can find several little ones there.

In South America, the smallest republic is Uruguay. Remember that I am speaking of "republics." French Guiana and Dutch Guiana are smaller, but they are colonies, not republics.

Uruguay ranks last in size among the South American republics, but how does it rank in other ways? It is second from last in population, but it is at, or near, the top in "civilization." Only two other South American republics can compare with Uruguay in progress.

## "JERKED" BEEF FACTORY IN URUGUAY



Some persons mix Uruguay with Paraguay, but it is a big mistake to do that. Paraguay is an inland country, and most of its people are Indians. Uruguay, on the other hand, has a large port city and its people are mostly of the white race. Less than 15 per cent are of Indian or mixed blood. In all of South America, only Argentina has such a large proportion of whites as Uruguay.

Uruguay is "right across the river" from Argentina. There are two river boundaries between these countries. One is the Uruguay River and the other is the very wide Rio de la Plata, or River Plate.

In Peru, Bolivia and Paraguay there are many llamas, but Uruguay has very few of these animals. Instead there are great numbers of cattle and sheep. There are four times as many cattle as people in Uruguay! If

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the sheep in the country were divided up, each person would own eight of them.

As we might expect from the great number of cattle, Uruguay is a centre of the meat industry. Each year it exports millions of dollars worth of beef. Much of this beef goes to Great Britain and Ireland.

A specialty of Uruguay is its "jerked beef." The fat is taken from the meat, and then the lean beef is hung where sunshine will strike it. After being dried in the sun for several days, jerked beef will keep a long time without spoiling.

(For travel section of your scrapbook.)

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## Bomber Crash Kills 5

HOBBS, N.M. (AP)—All five members of the crew aboard a four-engined U.S. bomber were killed Wednesday afternoon when the plane crashed 71 miles east of El Paso, Texas, the field's commanding officer announced.

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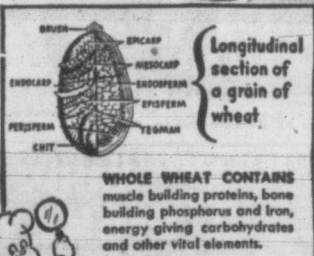
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